VA Expects to Get Key Maps Today

Colonel R. M. Edgar, assistant administrator of Veterans Administration construction, stated in Washington, D.C., this week that he expected to receive maps, sketches and other material by today from the Oakland VA office, to enable him to complete his report on the controversial southern Orinda site for a VA hospital next to Miramonte High School.

In a telephone interview with The Sun late Tuesday, Colonel Edgar said he needed this material in order to complete his report and to submit it and his recommendation to H. V. Higley, administrator of veterans' affairs.

Colonel Edgar recently returned to the national capital, after addressing a public meeting at Miramonte May 21, at which over 800 persons objected to the proposed 20-acre site for an eight-story VA hospital.

FIRST QUERY asked of Colonel Edgar by The Sun reporter in the telephone interview was:

"Have you made a recommendation to the Veterans Administration, following the May 21 meeting at Miramonte High School?"

"No, I haven't as yet, because I haven't completed my report," Colonel Edgar replied.

"There are several things I had to get out there — I'm getting various maps and sketches and other material from our Oakland office.

"Our Oakland office tells me they're sending this material airmail, so I should receive it by this Friday."

The VA official said that the maps and sketches show "freeways, roads and such."

THE INTERVIEW continued as follows:

Question — "Does that mean you will make your recommendation shortly—probably early next week?"

Answer — "I can't say. The information about my recommendation will have to be released by our information service."

Q — "Did you visit possible alternate sites in this general area before you returned to Washington?"

A — "I don't remember."

Q — "I wanted to ask you whether — of you visited possible alternate sites after the May 21 meeting here — you feel any of them suitable, as a substitute for the controversial Orinda site."

A — "**DURING MY MANY** visits out there I have covered the area — into Concord and into Pinole — practically the entire Contra Costa County."

you stated you had gone over the county, and you stated you had found the Orinda site most suitable. I was wondering whether you visited possible alternate sites after the meeting, and if you had changed your mind and found any of them siutable."

A — "I don't mean to be evasive, but I will have to make my report first to the administrator."

Q — "Did the May 21 meeting here give you a definite impression of the sentiment of the local people regarding the proposed

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CANDIDATES VIED for audience support at the Candidates' Night public meeting Monday night at Acalanes High School auditorium, held under the joint sponsorship of The Sun and the Lafayette-Orinda Junior Chamber of Commerce. Shown here before the speaking program got under way are, left to right, Dr. H. R. Quinney, Democratic aspirant for the 6th Congressional District seat; Assemblyman Donald Doyle (R), seeking reelection; Russell Koch, Democratic candidate for assemblyman; Kendric Morrish, moderator; Jack Pedder, Republican candidate for state senator, and Alfred W. Newman, representing Congressman John Baldwin. State Senator George Miller Jr. (D), who is seeking reelection ,arrived at Acalanes shortly after this picture was taken. Newman, of Vallejo, is administrative assistant to Baldwin, who is in Washington, D.C.

—Sun photo by Mattson

Quinney 'Baldwin' Argue At Candidates Meeting

Dr. R. H. Quinney, Democratic candidate for Congress, charged Monday night at a Sun-Lafayette-Orinda Junior Chamber of Commerce sponsored candidates night that incumbent John Baldwin "did not tell the truth" about the choice of the Orinda site for the Veterans Administration hospital.

The charge was answered by Alfred W. Newman of Vallejo, administrative assistant to Baldwin, who stated that government agencies do not inform Congressmen of site locations until after the decision is made because of the possibility of land speculation.

Almost 400 people thronged to Acalanes High School to hear candidates for the Board of Supervisors, Assembly, State Senate and Congress express their views at the largest candidates meeting in the county.

Quinney, speaking second on the program, also charged Baldwin with "inept handling" of the Veterans Administration hospital site choice and claimed that he "backed" the Orinda site.

HE SAID THAT governmental departments always "inform" a Congressman of proposed action in his own territory, and that therefore Baldwin must have known of the site choice.

He also charged that if Baldwin did not know, he "certainly should have."

Newman outlined the steps that Baldwin took in the matter of location of the hospital, pointing out that 80 per cent of the replies to a questionnaire sent out by Baldwin indicated that residents wanted to see it located in the Sixth Congressional District.

He added that Baldwin followed this through, but that he could not control the site location which is determined by the Veterans Administration.

NEWMAN, THE FIRST speaker, outlined Baldwin's record during the past two years with emphasis on legislation dealing with Monticello Dam and Richmond harbor.

He emphasized that Baldwin has been criticized for voting yes on the utility reimbursement bill which will permit the reimbursement of utility companies up to 50 per cent of the cost for moving utilities on federal projects.

He agreed that Baldwin backed the bill, but pointed out that as it stood it permitted reimbursement up to 90 per cent of the cost.

Quinney, in addition to his charges on Baldwin's record, outlined his past history as a democrat in the county and his personal qualifications for the office.

MODERATOR WAS Kendrick Morrish of Orinda, who introduced the speakers and explained the functions of the timekeeper, a member of the Walnut Creek Toastmaster's Club.

Second group to speak were Assembly candidates, Incumbent Donald Doyle and Russell Koch, democratic candidate.

Koch, an attorney, outlined his background and stressed the need for more teachers as well as educational facilities in the district.

He said that bonding is only a temporary method of gaining funds to build schools and said that the present tax structure is not fair. He pledged to investigate the tax structure if elected.

Doyle said that he was not "a one-man show" and added, "I represent both tickets. I have been endorsed by many groups, including the California Teachers Association" and veterans groups.

He outlined his management-labor record and his active work in the Assembly during the past session.

During the question and answer period he was asked how he could claim the endorsement of the California Teachers Association when "that group doesn't endorse."

DOYLE STATED that he has letters supporting his stand on legislation from the CTA.

The third group of speakers included Senator George Miller and Republican candidate Jack Pedder, who will appear only on the Republican ballot in the primary election Tuesday.

Miller outlined his work for the past eight years in the State Senate, and pointed out that prior to that time he was an assemblyman. He noted that he has been active in the Governmental Ad-

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Girls' Joy Ride Has Tragic End; 3 Hospitalized

Tragedy ended the 60 mile per hour joy ride of three Acalanes High School girls Sunday night on St. Mary's Road in Lafayette and sent them to the hospital in critical condition.

Patricia Hall, 17, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George T. Hall, 6 Estates Drive, Orinda, was, according to the California Highway Patrol, the unauthorized driver of the Chevrolet convertible which raced into a St. Mary's construction area at 7:45 p.m., slid on loose gravel on the road, plunged into a six foot ditch and was completely demolished.

Her companions were Rosemary Pimental, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Pimental of Larch Road, Moraga, and Maureen Malvey, 15, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Riley, 144 Moraga Highway, Orinda.

ALL THREE GIRLS were rushed to the Kaiser Hospital in Walnut Creek. Patricia, who was driving her Navy brother's car without a license, suffered broken feet, a broken right arm and a broken cheek bone. She has been transferred to the Kaiser Hospital in Oakland.

Maureen, who was removed to the Merritt Hospital, where her mother is employed, suffered a broken pelvis, broken nose and arm, and multiple abrasions. She has been placed in a body cast and will remain in the hospital indefinitely.

Rosemary also suffered a fractured pelvis, broken femur, misplaced foot bone and internal injuries, according to hospital authorities. She has remained hospitalized in Walnut Creek.

Patricia and Rosemary are seniors at Acalanes, scheduled to graduate this month. Maureen is a junior.

Respective hospitals report the girls' conditions as "fair."

AN ON-THE-SCENE report of the disaster came from Jerry Freitas, 18, of Larch Avenue, who, along with three companions, was racing after the girls' car to warn them to slow down when the accident occurred.

"They were driving between 55 and 60," reported Freitas, "and we started following them on Camino Pablo to warn them to slow down."

Freitas said that he lost sight of the girls just past St. Mary's College. He stopped his car, he revealed, when he arrived at the ditch where the girls' car was overturned and heard Rosemary scream.

The horrendous sight that greeted him was Rosemary pinned in the car between the seat and the door, Patricia lying across her seat in an apparent state of shock, and Maureen, free of the car, in great agony.

AS FREITAS helped Maureen from the ditch, he stated, his companions, one of whom was Bonnie Pimental, 14, Rosemary's sister, sped into Lafayette to seek aid, and to inform the girls' parents.

The fire department arrived almost immediately, continued Freitas, but the hospital's ambulance was almost 45 minutes in arriving.

Other passengers in Freitas' car, aside from Bonnie, were Bobby Ross, 15, and Lester Wandel, 16, both of Camino Pablo, Orinda.

Association May File Pine Grove Suit Next Week

Suit will probably be filed in Superior Court next week by the Orinda Association against county rezoning of the Pacific Intermountain Express Company parcel at the Pine Grove.

This was announced by Gladys Schwatka, legal counsel for the association, at the organization's board meeting Monday night at Orinda School auditorium.

"A suit for declaratory relief will probably be filed next week," Mrs. Schwatka told the directors.

"We will have a recommendation for you very shortly as to which law firm we would want to handle the case."

PRESIDENT Mel Arighi reported that the association is seeking financial donations to aid the organization in the court battle.

"Our plans are still unchanged," he stated. "We are going to fight this matter in court."

Prior to the board sesion Mrs. Schwatka said that the Homeowners Committee of the Orinda Association was to meet last night, to discuss plans for the court fight.

ON MAY 8 the County Board of Supervisors approved PIE's application for administrative office district rezoning of its 10.7 acre parcel at the Pine Grove, and adopted a rezoning ordinance.

The ordinance is scheduled to become effective next Friday.

PIE IS PLANNING to erect a $750,000 office headquarters building at the site, which it purchased from East Bay Municipal Utility District in December, 1954, for $106,000.

The Orinda Association opposes not only the PIE move but also and possible futures businesses here which would not directly serve the local populace.

The Homeowners Committee, headed by William Penn Mott Jr., has spearheaded the campaign of the asociation to "keep Orinda residential."

Robinhood Merry Men Attend Celebration

The new home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wolfenden, 28 Tappen Lane, Sleepy Hollow, made an appropriate setting for the Robinhood party given on May 18 for their son Allen on his seventh birthday.

The Robinhood theme was carried through from Robinhood hat invitations to Robinhood outfits.

The neighbors attending were: Stevie Barker, Roger and Bruce Burton, Steve and Dave Dupuis, Chris Gould, Buddy Grah, Jimmy Hibbard, Paul Lemire and Rex Scatena.

Freeway Hearing on June 21

City-Study Report to Be Made June 11

Report of the incorporation committee will be presented to the Orinda Association board June 11, Committee Chairman Paul Pollaczek reported to the board Monday night.

Pollaczek told the directors, meeting at the Orinda School auditorium, that preparation of the report is now in its final stages.

Association President Mel Arighi pointed out that the incorporation report will be studied by the board, along with the community services district report which was submitted in March.

"THE INCORPORATION committee report wil lbe the second phase of the board study on local governmental problems, Arighi pointed out.

"The board will decide later which course to recommend for Orinda — incorporation as a city, or establishment of a community services district."

Co-chairmen of the community services district committee are Don DeWitt and Randell Cook.

Serving with Pollaczek on the incorporation study committee are Marion L. Baker, secretary; Joseph Prince, Kirk Miles, Dick Bartle, Clarence Betz, Fred Rust, Dr. Leonard Roth and Edgar May. Betz represents the Orinda Chamber of Commerce on the committee.

"THE GROUP has sought the benefit of profesional advice," Pollaczek stated in a typewritten memorandum, "and has recently been aided by the participation of Victor Sauer, director of public works in Contra Costa County; Howard Gardner, assistant director of the League of California Cities, and John Hope, city manager of the 3 year old city of Los Altos.

"They have also, in the course of their study, talked to experts and technicians on problems pertaining to police, planning, services and finances."

AS A "STARTER" for its deliberations the committee used the Orinda incorporation study issued by the Coro Foundation in July, 1954.

The Coro report was prepared by W. Kenneth Norris, of Coro's consulting service department, by arrangements with the Orinda Association's incorporation study committee, when headed by Frank Cayting.



PAUL VASHELL (at right) of the Orinda Lions Club was honored by the Waikiki Lions Club during his recent visit to Hawaii. He is shown at a meeting of the Waikiki Lions, with President Shigeru Ohye of the Waikiki Lions Club. Vashell was made an honorary member of the Waikiki Den. President Ohye is presenting Vashell the "Calabash Cousin" card, as evidence of the naming of Vashell as an honorary member.

Margaret Dobey, 2, Tastes Deadly Insecticide, Dies

Two year old Margaret Dobey, daughter of a prominent Orinda resident and officer of the American Trust Company, Berkeley, died Wednesday afternoon, an hour after she took a sip from a can which her father was using to spray a deadly insecticide on bushes in the back yard.

James K. Dobey, taking advantage of a quiet Memorial Day afternoon, didn't realize that anything was amiss, or even that his only daughter was in the back yard, until he looked up to see her sputtering and spitting, and a can which he had used to measure insecticide into a pressure sprayer at her feet.

LITTLE MARGARET somehow had escaped her mother's notice in the house at 4 Pueblo Court, Orinda, walked through one gate, and managed to open another to get into the back yard.

The chemical she had tasted at the edge of the can was as powerful as any on the market, according to Sheriff's Department Inspector Norman Wilson, whose deputies investigated the tragedy.

It was shortly after noon when the frantic parents called the family doctor, and finding that he was in Oakland, managed to reach another doctor.

BOTH DOCTORS arrived at the Dobey home at about the same time, and administered antidotes, but the child was dead an hour later.

An autopsy was held later in the day and Dr. John Ellis stated that cause of death was the presence of a corrosive material in the stomach.

The body was taken to the Truman's Funeral Directors in Oakland, where arrangements are pending.

James Dobey is assistant vice president of the American Trust Company, Berkeley. The Dobeys have a little boy, age 5.

Party Hopefuls Will Face Voter Decision on Tuesday

Voters in central Contra Costa County and throughout the state on Tuesday will go to the polls to pick their party candidates for local, state and federal offices. Legal hours are 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Winners in the "primaries" will become the official candidates for election in November.

On the Democratic Party ballot, a vote may be cast for all candidates for delegate favoring either Adlai E. Stevenson or Estes Kefauver in the National Convention.

U. S. PRESIDENT Dwight D. Eisenhower is the only name listed for his office on the Republican ballot.

By a California law allowing each candidate to be entered on his party's ballot and also that of the other party, incumbent Thomas Kuchel, republican and Samuel Yorty, democrat, are on both ballots for election as United States senator.

Filed for the same office on one ballot only are State Senator Richard Richards, democrat, Raymond Pritchard, engineer, republican, and Tilden Johnson, author, republican.

CROSSFILED FOR U. S. Representative, Sixth District, are incumbent John Baldwin Jr., republican, and H. Roberts Quinney, democrat.

George Miller Jr., incumbent state senator, democrat, 17th District, has crossfiled for re-election. Other candidate is Jack Pedder, Lafayette businessman, who filed on the republican ballot.

Crossfiled for member of California Assembly, 10th District, are incumbent Donald Doyle, republican, and Russell Koch, democrat, attorney and resident of Pleasant Hill.

By the method of crossfiling, it is possible for a candidate to win the endorsement of both parties.

THERE ARE seven candidates for the non-partisan office of Contra Costa County supervisor, second district. H. L. Cummings, chairman of the Board of Supervisors, announced earlier this year that he is not a candidate for re-election.

Campaigning are David Comstock of Alamo, advertising and newspaperman, Mrs. Eunice Koller of Crockett, Edward M. Larmer, Walnut Creek merchant, Harold E. Mutnick, Lafayette attorney, Melvin E. Nielsen, Lafayette businessman, Clarence R. Wallace of Alamo, retired Marine Corps brigadier general, and William Zion, of Lafayette, governmental analyst.

Orinda Homes-Fund Library Drive Will Start June 9

House-to-house solicitation for funds for the Orinda Library will begin June 9, Perc S. Brown, general chairman of Orinda Library Building Fund, announced yesterday.

"The fund's goal is $125,000," Brown reminded local residents, "but we believe the community really wants the library and will raise the money to pay for it."

Brown also announced that Special Gifts solicitation has begun, and that the first major contribution to the fund was one for $3000.

Contributions of $250 each from the Orinda Lions and the Orinda Rotary have been received by the fund for campaign expense purposes, revealed Brown. The expense fund was started with an initial transfer of $250 by the Orinda Library Board, he said.

"The action of these organizations is very much appreciated," he commented.

C. J. Ross and Edward J. Turk, Certified Public Accountants, have been invited to become members of the Auditing Committee, to audit the handling of all funds, according to Brown.

The following Orinda organizations have also sent in official endorsements to the Building Fund:

The Orinda Community Church, Miramonte High School Parents Club, the Snug Harbor Association, the Hilltop Garden Club and the Women's Auiliary of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church.

"125,000 is a lot of money," Brown declared, "but Orindans are assured, by the caliber of the residents handling the matter, that it will be handled carefully and well.

"But first," he added, "it must be raised — and this will take a lot of doing. It requires the best possible cooperation and widespread tangible support."

Scheduling Follows Confab At Division Office in SF

By JULIUS ROSENTHAL

Public hearing by the State Division of Highways on routing of the western leg of the future Shepherd Canyon Freeway will be held at 2 p.m., June 21 at Miramonte High School auditorium, Moraga Highway and Ivy Drive, in southern Orinda.

This was announced this week by B. W. Booker, assistant state highway engineer, in charge of the District IV office of the State Division of Highways in San Francisco.

Booker's announcement followed a conference Monday afternoon at the District IV office, at which the four possible routes for the freeway leg were discussed. This conference had been called by the Highways Division at request of the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors, according to Booker.

CONTRA COSTA County representatives present included Board of Supervisors Chairman H. L. Cummings, Supervisor Ray S. Taylor, County Public Works Director Victor Sauer, County Planning Director Thomas Heaton and Principal County Planner H. Russell Griffith.

Also present were a number of residents of the areas concerned and representatives of various organizations. These included Mrs. Holland DuBois of the Lincoln Estates Improvement Association, Mrs. John P. Shally and William Drake of the Canyon Community Club, James Hupp, chairman of the Orinda Association's Planning Committee and Mrs. Byron Bole of Orinda.

Utah Construction Company representatives included Frank Keller, vice-president; W. U. Barnes and Frank Draeger.

In addition, about a dozen members of Booker's staff were present, including C. F. Greene, assistant district engineer in charge of planning.

BOOKER LATER reported that the various possible routes were discussed. He said that although a tentative recommendation had already been made by his office to the state highway engineer in Sacramento, the matter "is not cut-and-dried."

"Nobody, including the state highway engineer, can do anything other than recommend — except the California Highway Commission," Booker stressed.

Booker pointed out that the route tentatively recommended by the state engineers, which would include an approximately straight-line course from St. Mary's College to the Miramonte High School area, is considered by his office as "the most direct, the cheapest and the one which would perform the greatest traffic service."

"HOWEVER, at the June 21 hearing we're going to listen to anything anyone has to say. A report of the hearing will be made to the state highway engineer — and if sound engineering reasons are presented at the hearing in favor of other routes, these other routes will be suggested as possibilities," Booker said.

"The state highway engineer will make his report and recommendation to the California Highway Commission. If a controversy exists, the California Highway Commission will come down to this area and conduct a hearing here."

At the Monday afternoon conference, Drake and Mrs. Shally expressed themselves in favor of the direct route suggested by the state enginers. They objected to the Redwood Canyon route favored by Utah Construction Company, and to the Indian Valley route sought by the Lincoln Estates group.

THE CANYON representatives declared that the redwoods should be preserved, and they also stressed the scientific and scenic value of rare knobcone pines and groundcover on a slope adjoining Indian Valley.

The Utah Construction Company representatives argued in favor of the Redwood Canyon

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Shepherd Canyon Freeway Route Debate Continues

Arguments over routing of the western leg of the future Shepherd Canyon Freeway continued this week as various groups prepared for the June 21 public hearing by the State Division of Highways.

The direct, straight-line route from St. Mary's College to the Miramonte High School vicinity is favored by the state engineers and the Canyon Community Club.

Opposition to the straight-line route and to a variation of it looping a short distance southward is voiced by the Orinda Association board and the Lincoln Estates Improvement Association.

THE CONTRA COSTA County Women's Planning Council, the Orinda Association board and the Lincoln Estates Improvement Association urge the Indian Valley route, still further south, as the course for the freeway leg.

Both the Women's Planning Council and the Orinda Association also strongly oppose the Redwood Canyon route, which is favored by Utah Construction Company. The Redwood Canyon route is south of the Indian Valley route.

The Canyon Community Club strongly opposes either the Redwood Canyon route or the Indian Valley route, declaring that a freeway through Redwood Canyon would destroy the redwood trees, an dthat the Indian Valley route wiuld mean the destruction of "rare knobcone pines and unusual vegetation on Pine Ridge adjoining Indian Valley."

VICE-PRESIDENT Frank Keller of Utah Construction Company has stated he believes relatively few redwood trees would be destroyed by a freeway through the Redwood Canyon, but this argument is disputed by Assistant State Highway Engineer B. W. Booker and also by the Women's Planning Council and the Canyon Community Club.

"A narrow-gauge single-track railroad line is one thing — but a 200-to-300-foot-wide freeway is something else," Booker told The Sun. "The redwood trees would be right in the path of much of the freeway route."

Booker emphasized that the only considerations governing selection of a route are "sound engineering reasons — not just convenience or inconvenience."

IN DISCUSSION at the Orinda Association board meeting Monday night, James Hupp, chairman of the association's Planning Committee, urged that the freeway route be considered "in relation to the whole community."

"Near the route proposed by the state engineers a large industrial area is being considered in Moraga Valley by Utah Construction Company. This could do a great deal more harm than the highway itself," Hupp said.

The Contra Costa County Park Commission, meeting in Martinez Monday night, passed a resolution requesting that the freeway not go through the Redwood Canyon park site.

IN A RECENT letter to improvement clubs of the Moraga Orinda area, Chairman Mildred H. Farrar of the Women's Planning Council said:

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route, although they stated they would rather have a route looping somewhat south of Moraga townsite and south of the state-favored route.

The state-favored route, according to Greene, would probably cut "right through the middle" of two large proposed Utah Construction Company subdivisions — Tract 2288 (254 lots) and Tract 2440 (425 lots).

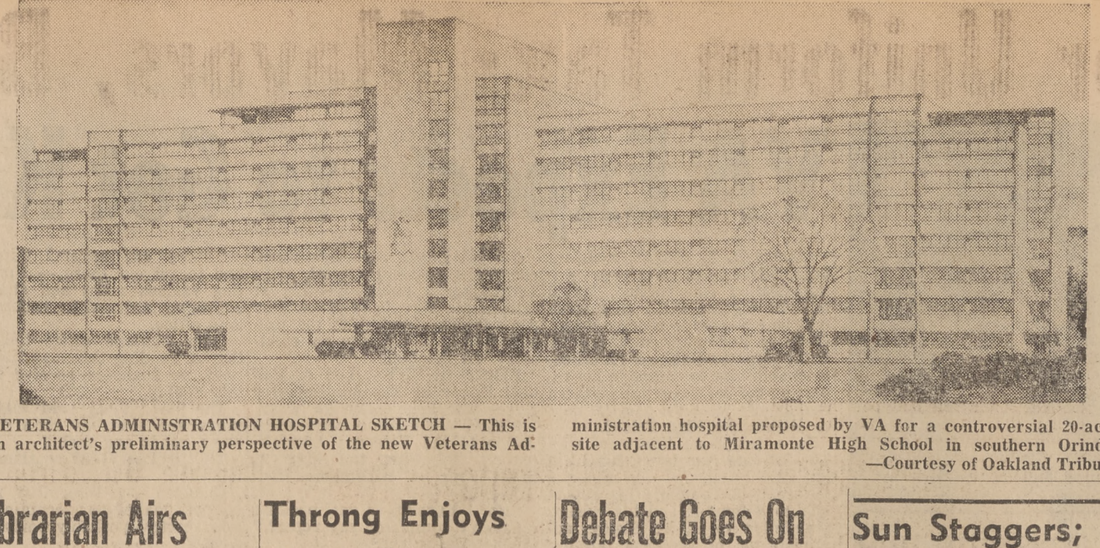
The route looping south of Moraga townsite is between the state-favored direct route and the Indian Valley route. To the south of the Indian Valley route is the Redwood Canyon route, also described by Keller as the "San Leandro Canyon route" and the "railroad canyon route," the latter because the Sacramento Northern tracks follow that route.

THE MONDAY AFTERNOON conference and the general problem of the routing of the western leg of the Shepherd Canyon Freeway were discussed at great length, and with some sharp differences of opinion, at the meeting of the Orinda Association board at Orinda School auditorium Monday night.

At the urging of Lincoln Estates residents, and on motion of Director Holland DuBois, the Orinda Asosciation board voted opposition to the state-favored route and the route looping south of that, and to recommend to the Highways Division "that in our opinion Indian Valley would constitute a more favorable route."

Also passed was a motion by Caroline Harrison expressing opposition to routing the freeway through Redwood Canyon — "the only stand of redwoods in this section of California."

Both these motions, according to Association President Mel Arighi, were to be combined into one resolution for presentation to the State Division of Highways.



VETERANS ADMINISTRATION HOSPITAL SKETCH — This is an architect's preliminary perspective of the new Veterans Administration hospital proposed by VA for a controversial 20-acre site adjacent to Miramonte High School in southern Orinda. —Courtesy of Oakland Tribune

Jack O'Harra Dies on Trip

Requiem Mass was offered last Saturday at Santa Maria Catholic Church for Jack B. O'Harra, 51, of 32 Dos Posos Road.

Mr. O'Harra, assistant vice president in charge of the Tanker Division of Pacific Intermountain Express Company, died unexpectedly on May 23 while on a business trip to Salt Lake City.

He had lived in Orinda since 1938.

A native of Wyoming, he attended the University of California, where he won his letter as a football player. He was graduated in 1925.

Mr. O'Harra is survived by his wife, Mrs. Jack B. O'Harra of Orinda; a daughter, Mrs. William G. Robinson of 400 Miner Road, Orinda; three grandchildren, William G. Robinson Jr., John Welch Robinson and Michael Dennis Robinson of Orinda; and a sister, Miss Dorothy Farrison O'Harra of San Francisco.

During World War II Mr. O'Harra served as a captain the Army Transportation Corps and under General Eisenhower at Casablanca.

BRIDGE BUSINESS

A grand total of 442,798,265 vehicles had passed over the San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge as of March 31, 1956, reports the National Atuomobile Club.

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Chamber Will Install Oficers At Tuesday Meet

At its first meeting in over a month, the Orinda Chamber of Commerce will install new officers and directors Tuesday at the Willow Inn (formerly the Orinda Willows), Secretary - Treasurer Clarence Betz announced yesterday.

At the 12:15 p.m. luncheon gathering Merle Brown will assume the office of president for the coming year, succeeding Ned de Laveaga.

Others on the nine-member board for 1956-57 will be Maynard Buehler, vice-president; Clarence Betz, secretary - treasurer (re-elected), and Ramsay Underwood, Stanley Allen, James Hendricksen, C. P. Tanner, Kenneth Courtright and Ned de Laveaga, directors.

Brown has been vice-president during the past year. He, Betz and De Laveaga will be holdover members of the board.

Outgoing directors are Paul Vashell, Walter Friberg, Tommy Horton, Zoe Woolsey, Ernest Poll and Virginia Hammond.

Regular luncheon meetings of the Orinda chamber are scheduled for the first and third Tuesday of each month.

However, no meeting has been held since May 1 because redecoration of the Willows (now the Willow Inn, under new ownership) closed the restaurant for a time, and because of the Memorial Day holiday period this week.

Wife-Beating is Charged to Orinda Contractor Barge

Roland Barge of 44 Valencia Road, Orinda, was in the county jail yesterday charged with wife beating, and disturbing the peace after arrest Wednesday morning by a sheriff's deputy and California Highway Patrol officer.

Inspector Norman Wilson said that Deputy John Schneider and Patrolman Keith Smith found Barge choking his wife when they arrived at the home at about noon.

An anonymous phone call had alerted them that something was wrong at the Barge home. The suspect is a contractor.

Bail was set at $2000, and Barge was to appear before Judge Thomson's Judicial Court in Walnut Creek today.

Wife-beating is a felony, according to Wilson.

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Librarian Airs Need of Adequate Library Building

Inadequacy of the present Orinda Library was stressed recently in a letter from Bertha D. Hellum county librarian, to George H. Hauerken, chairman of the Orinda Library Building Committee.

The letter, substantiating the community's conviction that new library facilities must be obtained, was aired at the start of the Orinda Library Fund Drive, which is now striving for funds for a new library building.

"I MUST AGREE with your impression as to the complete inadequacy for library purposes of the basement room so kindly loaned to us by the Orinda Community Church," began Mrs. Hellum.

"In the first place," she continued, "the site of the library is inaccessible without previous knowledge of the exact location of the room. Members of our staff humorously refer to the delivery of books there as 'Project Obstacle Course.'"

Mrs. Hellum went on to disclose that the county library has on loan to the Orinda Library 6296 books, compared to shelf space for only 2142 books.

"We would be in serious trouble if some event caused all of the books to be returned at the same time," she said.

"The most significant inadequacy is lack of floor space for both books and readers," states Mrs. Hellum.

"THE PRESENT ROOM is 400 square feet, with poor lighting and poor ventilation, and an unfortunate water leakage during rainy weather. There is room for shelving 2,142 books and for one table with chairs for three or four readers. Space is at such a premium that while people are seated, others are prevented from getting to the shelves behind them," she said.

As Orinda is attempting to raise sufficient funds for a library building, Mrs. Hellum agreed that community action is the most plausible means of attaining adequate facilities.

She quoted the policy of the Board of Supervisors on this matter as saying "The County Library will provide books and personnel in those areas where some agency provides quarters."

She said that the County Library is encouraging civic organizations in unincorporated areas to provide building maintenance in their areas.

THE DIFFERENCES between the 17 book deposit stations and the 15 branch libraries were also explained in the letter, as Mrs. Hellum stated that the interest of the citizens of Orinda in having improved library facilities influenced the change of status of the Orinda Deposit Station to that of a branch library in October, 1954.

Differentiation lies, she claimed in the additional hours of service, the larger bookstock, the personnel qualified by Civil Service examinations, and the quarters used for library service exclusively in the branch libraries.

Referring to queries on the of space needed in a new Orinda library, Mrs. Hellum claimed that a community's needs depend on its degree of local pride, intellectual interest and way of life.

"But," she added, "for communities with populations ranging from 7500 to 25,000, the space required for branch library service ranges from 4000 to 8000 square feet. This would provide for a book capacity from 15,000 to 37,000 books, and reader space for 50 to 75 chairs, as well as a forum room seating 100 people."

Mrs. Hellum pointed to tremendous increases in book circulation, which helped change the Orinda Deposit status in 1954 as the reason a new building is necessary.

Throng Enjoys Track Events At Field Day

Nearly 500 parents and friends of Orinda youngsters were on hand recently to watch the boys and girls run, jump, and throw at the sixth annual Rotary Field Day at the Orinda Union School.

Sports events highlighted the day, but the Orinda Mothers Club was on hand to refresh the athletes and guests with hot dogs and soft drinks.

Festivities, sponsored by the Orinda Rotary, included athletic events for boys and girls in the fourth and fifth grades, sixth and seventh grades, and the eighth grade.

IN THE YOUNGEST division, the boy and girl winners were:

50 yard dash: Hap Parks and Suzanne Scofield, fourth grade, and Jack Witter and Kay Williams, fifth grade.

Softball throw: Peter Kimball, fourth grade, and Tim Thompson, fifth grade.

Standing broad jump: Ronnie Hudson and Sandy Lee, fourth grade.

Sack race: Ronnie Hudson and Sandra Lee, fourth grade, and Roger Block and Susan Coker, fifth grade.

Potato race: Sandra Lee and Barbara Reynolds, fifth grade.

AMONG THE sixth and seventh grade winners were:

50 yard dash: Brad Peter and Estelle Cataline, sixth grade.

65 yard dash: Darnelle Palatino.

75 yard dash: Pete Yedidia.

Running broad jump: David Dunning.

Football throw: Fred Buhler.

SACK RACE: Tom Gaffney and Sandra Kersh, sixth grade, and Keith Thrailkill and Adelle Brodginski, seventh grade.

BB shooting: Cathy Oliphant, sixth grade and Tom Ferguson, seventh grade.

Standing broad jump: Linda Van Sckle, sixth grade.

Running hop, step and jump: Bill Caldwell, seventh grade.

Potato race: Karen Fernsten.

EIGTH GRADE winners were: 65 yard dash, Jane Lowman; 75-yard dash, Don Morton; running broad jump, Don Morton; running hop, step and jump, Nan Dame; sack race, Michele Angelo and Charles Blue; BB shooting, Michele Angelo; football throw, Bruce Hancock.

High point winners for the day were fourth graders Ron Hudson and Sandy Lee, who will be feted at a luncheon by the Rotary at the Willow Inn.

William Jackson's seventh grade class at Pine Grove took class honors.

Women Realtors Hold Meeting

President Mildred Applegate of the Women's Division of the Contra Costa Real Estate Board gathered the group for luncheon May 23 in the rumpus room of the Las Palmas Hotel.

At this particular monthly meeting there was no guest speaker since a report on a forthcoming resolution prepared by Edna Jensen commended undivided attention and consideration from brokers and saleswomen alike.

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Debate Goes On Over Plans for Freeway Route

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"For more than two years the Contra Costa County Women's Planning Council has been working to promote a protective master plan for the Moraga Valley. We have pursued this goal with the belief that the most suitable land use for this beautiful area was a low density residential community. All of our actions and recommendations have been founded on this premise.

"At the time of the master plan hearings for Moraga we questioned the location of the eastern terminus of the Shepherd Canyon Freeway at the Ivy Drive-Moraga Highway junction. We pointed out that it was hardly conceivable that a freeway route should pass the Miramonte High School and should be axised in the heart of a fine residential zone.

"WE WERE ADVISED that the only other feasible route was through the Redwood Canyon, one of the most important future park and nature reserve areas in the Bay Region.

"Routing the freeway through Redwood Canyon would utterly desecrate this 400-acre stand of redwoods and would destroy the park potential completely — an unthinkable and preposterous proposal.

"When we inquired at length about the Indian Valley route, where no development was under way, we were told that this alternative was not feasible because it was full of springs, subject to slides and one and three tenths miles longer.

"IT HAS NOW come to our attention that this Indian Valley site is feasible, does not involve a steeper, prohibitive grade and would not violate already established residential areas.

"In light of these facts we feel that our original proposal that the freeway route go through Indian Valley should be endorsed by all interested groups and that a unified front should be presented to the State Highway Commission when a hearing is scheduled."

THE CANYON Community Club,, through President Nellie Foster, declared this week that the state-favored route "is in the greatest public interest for the following reasons":

"It is the shortest, most direct route to serve the people of the area.

"It would cost the least, requiring less tunnel length and requiring less tunnel length and re-

"It leaves intact the entire scenic and natural area of Canyon, with its redwoods and rare knobcone pines and unsusual vegetation on Pine Ridge adjoining Indian Valley.

"It respects the recommendations of public planning and conservation groups that Canyon be preserved as a natural area park.

"The route has been assumed for the past year as the preferred freeway route on Contra Costa County planning maps."

Mrs. Foster also took sharp issue with statements to The Sun last week by Vice - President Frank M. Keller of Utah Construction Company regarding the freeway routing.

IN ANSWER to Keller's comments favoring the Redwood Canyon Route and against the state-favored direct route, Mrs. Foster declared, in part:

"It is obvious to anyone who drives through the narrow canyon that any freeway in it would seriously impair the natural redwood area and the beautiful scenic road through it . . .

"His suggestion to use the Sacramento Northern Railroad right-of-way may sound plausible. However, it is much too narrow for a freeway . . .

"The fog problem is stated as a reason for the Canyon low-level route. Fog is a problem of the whole Bay Area, not peculiar to a high-level Shepherd Canyon freeway route. The ground or tule fog of the Moraga Valley is a much worse problem than the ocean fog of the hills.

"It is not true that relatively few people would be interfered with by the Canyon route. While no dwellings would be interfered with by the state's first choice direct houte, in Canyon 40 homes would be taken or very directly disturbed in the narrow valley, and an access problem created. Eight homes directly adjoin the railroad right-of-way."

THE LINCOLN ESTATES Improvement Association, in a letter last week to Assistant District Highway Engineer C. F. Greene, argued that the state-favored direct route and one which would loop shortly south of that would have the following detrimental effects on homes in southern Orinda:

Noise, devaluation of property values, creation of smog, and heavy traffis directly by Miramonte High School.

INDIAN VALLEY route advantages were listed by the Lincoln Estates group as:

"1. Indian Valley is undeveloped . . .

"2. The rate of ascent in Indian Valley would be no greater and maybe less than for the Moraga Valley routes.

"3. The cost of the property necessary for right-of-way should be less.

"4. The property in Moraga Valley will be allowed to develop to a higher potential if it is not split by the freeway, with an unfavorable restriction of local traffic circulation and limitation of the uses of the immediately adjacent property."

Sun Staggers; Breezes Blow

"Changeable as the weather," is the old saying.

Wasn't true last week, though. The thermometer stayed pretty much on an even keel as refreshing breezes and high overcasts stayed the blazing hand of old man Summer for a while.

The mercury reached a high of 78 on the 25th, and dropped to a low point of 40 Sunday. No rain fell, leaving the season's total moisture at 44.94 inches.

Temperatures for the week were:

	High	Low
May 24	76	47
May 25	78	50
May 26	66	50
May 27	73	40
May 28	71	46
May 29	65	49
May 30	65	47

Mothers Club Head Installed

Mrs. Charles Erickson was installed as the new president of the Orinda Mothers Club during a ceremony held at the final meeting of the group recently. Glenn McNicholas, principal of Del Rey School, presented her with a corsage.

Children participating in the congratulatory corsage - pinning were Nancy Irwin for Mrs. James Irwin, vice-president; Chip Monahan for Mrs. Odie Monahan, recording secretary; Susan Wagner for Mrs. Richard Wagner, corresponding secretary, and Mary Rodden whose mother, Mrs. Robert Rodden, is the new treasurer-elect.

Larry Hunn, son of Mrs. Stanley Hunn, Sleepy Hollow coordinator. Carol Gilmore with Mrs. William Gilmore, Orinda School coordinator, Linda Shirey with Mrs. Frank Shirey, Orinda coordinator, Bruce Hutchinson with Mrs. Don Hutchinson, Del Rey coordinator, and Janet Gilwee for new Pine Grove coordinator, Mrs. Russell Gilwee.

Preceding the installation ceremony conducted by Mrs. Miles Sutliffe, a past president of the Mothers Club, Mr. Bela Clark of the Juvenile Control department addressed the women in the Orinda School auditorium.

Clark, stressing the point that children usually get into trouble for lack of something better to do, urged parents to join in the children's fun by making their play and social acitvity a family affair.

To curb or alleviate the child-molestation problem, Clark offered the advice that youngsters should not be allowed to attend movies alone and that older children should attend shows always in a group, and should not have to go home by themselves.

For safety's sake, Clark reiterated the sheriff's warning on dynamite caps. He also emphasized the strict county laws on firearms, forbidding children under 16 to handle guns of any type including BB guns.

VA Official Expects to Get Key Maps Today

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site?"

A — "I think that was quite obvious."

LAST WEEK, following the huge protest gathering, Congressman John F. Baldwin urged the VA to withdraw construction plans for a hospital at the site at Orinda Highway and Ivy Drive.

Citing the numerous protests he had received and the sentiment of the May 21 meeting at Miramonte, Baldwin told Higley:

"I should like to recommend that the Veterans Administration make a new survey to determine an area and location for the site of this hospital which would be more agreeable to the residents most directly affected."

POSSIBLE ALTERNATE sites which have been suggested include:

Approximately 20 acres near Pinole; a site within the city limits of Martinez, about two miles from downtown Martinez; Camp Stoneman; some 23 acres about four miles east of Concord; Parks Air Force Base; surplus acreage on the Livermore VA Hospital property; the Antioch area.

At its meeting last Friday night the Moraga Valley Community Club adopted a resolution opposing the hospital site which has been proposed for the Moraga Highway-Ivy Drive location.

IN ITS EFFORTS to obtain the site, VA has filed condemnation proceedings in United States District Court in San Francisco.

Owner of the property is Utah Construction Company, which has stated it will fight the move.

Many organizations and the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors are on record against the proposed site.

Bird Passenger Causes Accident

A bird got involved in the traffice turmoil last Monday evening and was the cause of injuries inflicted on two local teenagers when their car ran of fthe road near Mt. Diablo Boulevard and into a telephone pole.

Stuart Upton Busby, 16, of 1331 Martino Road, Lafayette, and Pennie Marsh, 15, of 17 Dias Dorados, Orinda, suddenly found a third occupant in the car Busby was driving when a bird flew in the car's window.

Busby told officers that the dazed bird remained still until they attempted to pick it up. Revived, it caused the confusion that resulted in the mishap.

Candidates Tell Views At 'Town Hall' Meet

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ministration Committee, the committee which studies the financial institutions of the state and a 3-man water resources committee.

PEDDER STATED that he is against the cross-filing system and outlined his background in Contra Costa County, where he has been active for the past 15 years, working with such groups as the Lafayette Improvement Association, the Associated Chambers of Contra Costa County and local civic groups.

The second part of the program was devoted to candidates for the Board of Supervisors. Each spoke for eight minutes, outlining his program and views. Order of speakers was drawn by lot.

HAROLD MUTNICK commented, "I am not running against my opponents, but against the incumbent" (Jack Cummings). He said the people have been "let down" in Martinez, and stated the need for "political morality." He promised, if elected, to abolish "previous decisions and advance judgements."

Dave Comstock outlined his past history as a local resident in the area and pledged to maintain an open mind and fair judgment. He stated that taxes could be kept down, but that if additional services are needed, they will have to be paid for. He pledged an "honest dollar's worth" for each tax dollar spent.

C. R. WALLACE spoke of his 20 years of administrative experience and promised clean, honest, efficient government. He declared that taxes can be reduced and outlined a plan of action covering the planning commission, water, rapid transit, highways and parks and recreation.

Mel Nielsen noted that this is the first time in 12 years that the voters have had a chance to consider a change in this district. He pledged to establish a central office where residents could bring their problems, and stated that there is no reason why preliminary hearings on controversial matters cannot be heard by the board in the community where the controversy arises.

He pledged to "bring government back to the people."

Bill Zion explained his backgrounds with the taxpayers association and his studies of governmental processes with the U. S. Government and the University of California.

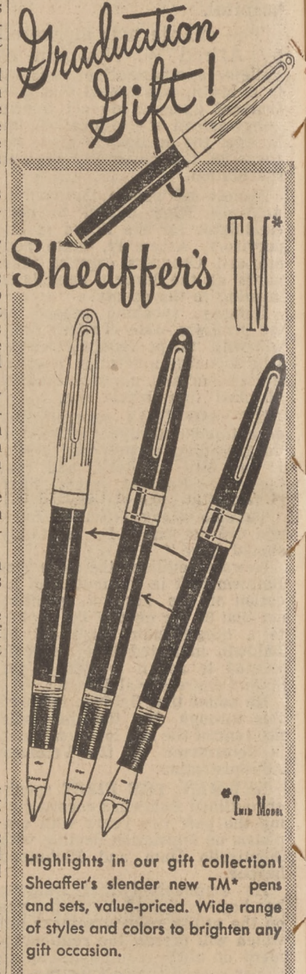
He stressed the problem of representation and suggested that the planning department should be reorganized.

ED LARMER explained that he has been a resident of Lafayette for the past 10 years and outlined his background with the State Chamber of Commerce Highway Committee, the Contra Costa Rapid Transit Committee, past association with the Grand Jury and work with the Red Cross and Associated Chambers of Commerce of Contra Costa County.

MRS. EUNICE Koller stated the need for better service from the county government and stated that it must "hold the line on new, proposed tax increases."

She pledged that there would be "no star chambers of Ferry Street luncheon meetings" to decide issues, and agreed to question seriously the expenditure of taxpayers funds for "conventions and surveys" unless a specific goal could be obtained.

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Outlook Dim for Uniform Tax; Mayors, Board Adamant

By NORMAN COLBY

Although presumably facing a loss of thousands of dollars in new revenue, mayors of 11 cities in Contra Costa County were to send a message this morning again refusing to "share" with the county five per cent of municipal sales tax money to be collected under a county-wide uniform sales tax.

Mayor E. C. Counter Jr., president of the Mayors Conference indicated that at a meeting of the group last night in Concord, they would stand firm on an earlier proposal where "the county and cities are each to receive the full revenue . . . as levied within their jurisdictions."

Still offered by the mayors is a plan where a committee be formed to study the tax relations of the county and its cities for one year before any move, Counter added.

ACTION FOLLOWS adoption Tuesday by the Board of Supervisors of a uniform one per cent sales tax ordinance with collection by the State of California, and allocation to the county of all new revenue from unincorporated areas, which have no sales tax now, and .05 per cent sales tax on purchases in the cities.

This would leave the cities .95 per cent sales tax, rather than the full one per cent, which they at present levy themselves.

However, according to County Administrator Desmond Teeter, the ordinance will not go into effect unless ratified by the cities, and this must be done by today, if it is to become effective July 1.

Any delay will move the effective date back at least three months, October 1.

Teeter earlier expressed the opinion that it would be better to go along with the cities, allowing them to keep their full one per cent, rather than taking no effective action now, since there could be a lowering of property taxes by more than $2 millions in the first nine months the ordinance is in effect.

BUT THE SUPERVISORS refused to budge.

Though Walnut Creek and the other cities would have a slightly lowerpercentage of sales tax revenue under the ordinance, it has been pointed out that their incomes would increase, on the whole.

Walnut Creek stands to profit the most, according to figures of the County Taxpayers Association which list a jump in sales tax receipts there from $106,145 in 1954-55 to $310,200 in 1956-57.

Reasons are the increased efficiency of state collections, and the expansion of local business.

The Association also recently wrote the supervisors calling for a reduction of property taxes, rather than increased spending, of the ordinance goes into effect.

The mayors, failing to attend a meeting of the supervisors last week to consider the matter, seemed unimpressed by a county offer to use the five per cent with matching county money for establishment of new county parks and a boys rehabilitation camp.

MAYOR COUNTER complained that the Mayors Conference hadn't been notified of the discussions in Martinez soon enough.

In a letter to the supervisors, he also stated that the cities spend much money already on parks and recreation, and should not be expected to foot 75 per cent of the bill in the unincorporated areas also.

He added that the distribution of the tax money is "not related" to the "aid to cities" program, which last year provided the cities with about $300,000 in county money for improvement of municipal streets and curbs.

H. L. Cumings, chairman of the Board of Supervisors said in a meeting two weeks ago that reluctance by the cities to share their sales tax money might lead the board to "reappraise' the aid to cities program.

Counter insisted in the letter that the aid to cities is only a means of aleviating an inequity, since the counties were responsible for the streets before incorporation.

A .05 CITY sales tax allocated to the county would realize about $86,000 in the first year it has been estimated.

About $585,000 would be gained by imposition of the one per cent tax in unincorporated areas, during the period from July to the following April.

The resoution adopting the ordinance splitting the city money was proposed by Supervisor Ivan Goyak of the First District (Richmond), after he expressed fears that any delay would mean no action for three months.

June 14 Deadline Set for $9 Million Bond Decision

The Central Contra Costa Sanitary District Board of Directors met with County Health Officer Dr. H. L. Blum Monday night in an effort to initiate a $9 million bond issue for September for district sanitary improvements.

Dr. Blum was called upon to hear the board's proposal that the needed improvements specified in the $40,000 Brown and Caldwell engineering report be implemented. Current legislation governing Sanitary District matters expires September 1.

Dr. Blum has final say on the health needs of the district.

The board, setting a June 14 deadline for a final decision, revealed to Blum that it had resolved to finance the Brown and Caldwell recommendations through phase three of the report, excluding improvement measures outside the district boundaries.

INCLUDED IN the report, along with recommendations that the multi-million dollar construction program be started immediately, were six proposals for improvement in the district.

1. That the proposed plan for the collection of sewage from the district be adopted both for immediate construction of urgently needed trunk sewers and pumping stations and for future expansion of the sewerage system.

2. That a combination of plans be adopted for treatment and disposal of sewage. The combination plan calls for enlargement of primary treatment and oxidation pond facilities to 11 million gallons per day, to serve a population of 183,000 persons. When that fall is reached an outfall to Suisun Bay be built and secondary treatment by oxidation ponds be discontinued.

3. **STEPS TO BE TAKEN** immediately to provide sufficient funds to finance urgently needed facilities and to assure the future financing of other facilities urged by the recommendations. Under the suggested program of financing, a single general obligation bond of $9 million will be required.

4. That the City of Concord be advised to participate with the district in sewage treatment and disposal should be reached prior to design and construction of the proposed outfall to Suisun Bay.

5. Infiltration in new sewer construction be controlled by rigidly maintaining requirements for first class materials and workmanship in both sewers and house connections. Upgrading requirements should be used and improved; pipe and pipe jointing materials should be utilized.

6. Permanent metering facilities be installed at suitable points in the collection system to obtain a continuing record of storm water infiltration and to determine the effectiveness of the measure adopted for infiltration control.

While revealing specific health advantages the proposed construction would insure, the board also revealed to Blum its policy of future action.

RAPID POPULATION growth, together with the coinciding increase in sewerage flow, was one of the major issues pointed out by the board. According to the engineering firm's report, the present population served by the Sanitary District is 111,000. By 1960 the service area will represent 200,000, and by 1970, 380,000.

"The ultimate of saturation densities ranging from 1 to 20 persons per acre in the year 2010 would be 820,000," the report indicated.

If the health needs are determined, the district may ask for the $9 million in general obligation bonds which would then require only a simple majority approval for passage.

Normally they require a two-thirds majority vote.

According to Ernest Spiegl, temporary chairman of the board, the Brown and Caldwell report is a "non-political, unprejudiced report written from an engineering point of view."

SPIEGL FURTHER STATED that although Dr. Blum withheld approval, the directors were optimistic that he would grant it.

In other business conducted at its regular meeting on May 24, the board voted to call for bids a second time on a proposed new district office building.

At earlier bidding a low bid of $132,462 was rejected as too high.

Architect Wendell R. Spackman submitted a revised building plan with a construction cost estimate of $111,997. He was directed to draw specifications preparatory to rebidding.

Formation of a local improvement district in Snug Harbor area of Orinda was approved pending receipt of a County Health Office certificate of need.

Directors withheld action on a request by the Pleasant Hill Park and Recreation District to allow splash water and wading pool water from its new swim pool to drain in CCSD lines.

The recreation district was advised to submit a plan to insure no storm water would enter the lines from the pool drain.

Miller Writes Crossing Views To Commuters

"In my opinion, the opening of a second Bay crossing, whether it be a parallel or a southern crossing, will provide relief for the residents of Contra Costa County."

This was the view expressed by Senator George Miller Jr. in a recent letter to George R. Cummings, president of the Contra Costa County Commuters Association. The letter was written in reply to correspondence received by Miller from Cummings.

Referring to Miller's March newspaper statement that "I note no major opposition to the Southern Crossing from constituents in Contra Costa County," Cummings wrote that "The Contra Costa County Commuters Association voted unanimously at their April 10 meeting to write you and inform you of their opposition to the Southern Crossing."

In his reply to Cummings, Miller pointed out that although he did not vote for the Southern Crossing bill in the 1955 Legislature action, the question was resolved by an overwhelming vote in both houses authorizing the crossing.

"The measure to which you apparently refer was AB 72 adopted by the 1956 Legislature, which I did vote for," Miller went on to say.

"This bill amended the 1955 legislation to permit a $.25 toll in place of the $.35 rate originally provided in 1955. An attempt was made to amend AB 72 in the Assembly to provide for a parallel crossing. This amendment received only 16 votes instead of the necessary 41 votes.

"In the Assembly only three negative votes were cast by the 80 members," Miller continued.

"I had received only one communication saying that the writer was against a Southern Crossing —a matter that was decided a year previously."

Miller stated that "Most of us have recognized the need for a second Bay Bridge for more than ten years, yet during all this time the project has been held up because of differences of opinion as to its location. I do not believe that the Southern Crossing is the perfect answer, but I am sure that it is better than no bridge."

Lafayette PTA To Meet Tuesday At Reeves Home

The Lafayette Parent Teachers Association will hold a board meeting Tuesday at the home of Mrs. William Reeves, 2846 Kinney Drive, Walnut Creek.

New officers are President Mrs. Reeves, First Vice President and Hospitality Chairman Mrs. E. W. Zimmer, Second Vice President Mrs. Fred Davidson, Third Vice President and Program Committee Chairman Mrs. Alex Barr, Recording Secretary Mrs Arthur Hunter.

Corresponding Secretary Mrs. D. H. Lambert, Treasurer Mrs. Frank Carter, Auditor Ralph Anderson, Parliamentarian Mrs. H. N. Couden, Historian Mrs. Robert Johnson.

Delegates to the council and district are Mrs. Couden and Mrs. Robert Adams.

Publicity co-chairmen are Mrs. Andrew McGlynn and Mrs. Robert Pound; Newsette chairmen are Mrs. G. A. Johnson and Mrs. James Quick, Roommother Chairman Mrs. E. N. Dotson, Membership Chairman Mrs. William Allen, Safety Chairman Mrs. Charles Allen.

Magazines and Emblems Mrs. Floyd Pickett, Legislation Chairman Mrs. David Bryant, Parent and School Education Chairman Mrs. Albert Valcke, Student Welfare Chairman Mrs. Harry Thornton.

Health Co-Chairmen are Mrs. Ronald Clark and Mrs. Dale McGahon, Coffee Co-Chairmen Mrs. Wilbur Retzloff, Mrs. Arnold Nelson; motion picture chairman Mrs. John Regan.

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CONTRA COSTA CREDIT WOMEN'S BREAKFAST CLUB feted the members' bosses at dinner May 22 at El Nido, Lafayette. Shown at the affair are, letf to right, Mrs. Grace Sommers, program chairman for the gathering and manager of the Retail Credit Association of Contra Costa County; Mrs. Ethel Lutz of Walnut Creek, president of the Credit Women's Breakfast Club, and Larry Silveira, entertainer.

—Sun photo by Mattson

Rheems Baseball Team Easily Beats Kings, 11-2

Rheem's Center beat Kings Food Center, 11-2, Tuesday in a Martinez - Walnut Creek League game. The winners had a shutout until the seventh and final inning.

Rheem's picked up three runs in the first inning, and three in the third, to make it an easy win.

Big guns were Jim Tiechiera and Bill Piona each with three hits for Rheem's. Jim Wurich got two.

Kings hitters were led by Overby with two connections.

Winning pitcher was Ed Bill who went all the way. Losing pitcher was Heasel, replaced in the fourth by LaFontaine.

In a game last Friday, Rheem's beat Hoffman's by a score of 3-0. Bill was again the winning pitcher. Ken Gerner collected two hits for Rheem's, while eight other batters got one hit each.

On May 23, Kings lost to Serpa, 4-3. For Kings, Naurse and Overby each hit twice, and for Serpa, DiMonner hit twice.

'Waters of the Moon' is Comedy

Ethel Sokolow plays the roles created in London by Dame Edith Evans in the current "Playhouse" comedy, "Waters of the Moon," by the author of "A Day by the Sea," N. C. Hunter. Place is Beach and Wayde Streets, San Francisco.

An actress of considerable professional background, her performance as a wealthy dilettante who toys with the hopes and dreams of the residents of a small hotel has received acclaim from the local drama critics.

STORK CLUB

JOWISE—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jowise of 2076 Sherman Drive, Pleasant Hill, May 19. Victoria Blythe weighed 6 pounds, 8 ounces, and was welcomed home by Peter, 2½ and Martha, 15 months.

McNAMARA—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard McNamara of 4031 Joyce Drive, Pleasant Hill, May 21. Dennis James weighed 8 pounds 14 ounces, and was welcomed home by Michael 9, John, 5, Maureen, 4, and Susan 16 months.

WILLIAMS—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams of 972 Hawthorne Drive, Walnut Creek, May 23. Robert Warner weighed 8 pounds, 3 ounces, and was welcomed home by Russell Thomas, 25 months.

CUNNINGHAM — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Cunningham of 150 Loralee Place, Pleasant Hill, May 24. Daniel Kearn weighed 8 pounds, 4½ ounces, and was welcomed home by Patricia, 6½, and Carol, 3.

BIRKA—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Birka of 722 Charlton Circle, Pleasant Hill, May 24. Thomas Howard weighed 9 pounds, 7½ ounces, and was delcomed home by Karyn, 5, Diane, 4, and Robert, 2.

HUDGENS — A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hudgens of 151 Greenway Drive, Walnut Creek, May 24. Kimberly Ann weighed 6 pounds, 2 ounces, and was welcomed home by Joyce Eileen, 2.

SCHMITZ — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chris Schmitz of 39 Santa Ana Drive, Pleasant Hill, May 26. He weighed 6 pounds, 4 ounces.

SHOTWELL — A son was born 1781 Second Avenue, Walnut to Mr. and Mrs. John Shotwell of Creek, May 29. He weighed 8 pounds, 3 ounces.

O'NEAL—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert O'Neal of 3350 Oak Vue Road, Pleasant Hill May 29. She weighed 6 pounds, 14 ounces.

KILBOURN — Jeffrey Parker joined three brothers and a sister on May 23 as a member of the Douglas T. Kilbourn household at 3920 Los Arabis Drive, Lafayette. Jeff, arriving at Alta Bates weighing 8 lbs. 7 ozs., will celebrate his birthdays on the same day as his sister Libby, 13. Other Kilbourns are Tod, 11, Tommy, 7, and Steve, 2½.

MADDUX — John Carter is the name of the son born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Maddux, 1092 Laurel Drive, Lafayette. John, who tipped the scales at 7 pounds 14 ounces on his birthday May 23, was born at Alta Bates Hospital.

BURRIS — Mr. and Mrs. James Burris, 1130 Garden Lane, Lafayette, welcomed their second child last month with the arrival of Richard Allen. Dick, who weighed 7 pounds, 5 ounces, joined an older sister, Ann Elizabeth, 2, in the Burris household.

DeLISO — A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Rocco DeLiso of 2073 Stewart Avenue, Walnut Creek, May 3. Debra Ann weighed 6 pounds, 4 ounces and was welcomed home by Diane, 8, and Kathleen, 6.

HUTCH — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hutch of 3140 McNutt Avenue, Walnut Creek, May 30. Gregory James weighed 7 pounds, 9 ounces, and was welcomed home by Patricia 9, and John, 5.

WILKES—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Wilkes of 36 Del Hambre Circle, Walnut Creek, May 26. She weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces.

SAHL — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sahl of 2758 Larkey Lane, Walnut Creek, May 26. He weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces.

Proposed Transit Dist. Boundaries Follow Zone 3-B

With boundaries of a proposed special transit district set along those of Flood Control Zone 3-B in Contra Costa County, and including northern Alameda County, the way is clear for 16 city councils, including Walnut Creek, to decide if the plan is feasible.

This was explained Monday in a special meeting attended by officials of both counties, and under the direction of Chairman Clair MacLeod of Piedmont.

A resolution has been prepared by Oakland Deputy City Attorney Robert Nisbet which will go to the city councils, and on approval of nine of the 16, will go to the voters in Zone 3-B and in the other county.

IT CALLS FOR a special election to determine whether a two-county transit district will be created, with the power to operate public transportation service, should it become "necessary."

Before the new district could take any action, however, a bond issue election would have to be held.

The proposed district has been evolved by officials who fear that there may be another Key System strike, like the one in 1953 which halted bus and train service throughout both Contra Costa and Alameda Counties.

ENABLING legislation was passed by the State Assembly last year.

At first the district was to include only the Key System service area, but leaders in Walnut Creek, Concord, Pinole, Martinez and Hercules applied for inclusion of their areas.

At the meeting Monday were Edward Larmer of Walnut Creek, L. C. Keating of El Cerrito and M. M. Snodgrass, Richmond.

Nisbet emphasized that the district is to "implement" only the proposed nine-county Bay Area Rapid Transit System.

School Vacations To Begin Soon

Public schools of Contra Costa County will close for summer vacation during the next two weeks, County Superintendent B. O. Wilson reported recently. The closing of schools in extreme East Contra Costa County will release 2400 children next week, and summer vacation will begin for the remaining 83,600 students by mid-June.

Elementary and high schools, other than the Liberty Union District, will dismiss classes on June 13, 14 or 15, Wilson said. The semester for Contra Costa Junior College ends June 19. Summer session students will register on June 25 and attend classes until August 17.

Five other school districts in Central Contra Costa County will conduct summer sessions. Classes will begin June 25 in Lafayette, Orinda and Mt. Diablo Unified, and July 9 in Danville and Martinez.

Regular classes will resume throughout the county during the first week in September, following Labor Day. Tuesday, September 4, is the opening date for schools of Martinez, Crockett-Rodeo, Mt. Diablo Unified, Pittsburg, Antioch, Liberty area and San Ramon Valley.

Classes will resume Wednesday, September 5, in the Acalanes and Richmond areas. Contra Costa Junior College will begin the fall semester on Thursday, September 6.

Sun Classified ads appear in 5 papers for 1 bargain price.

Home Building Funds Needed, Says Parker

The scarcity of mortgage finance funds for home construction, which has become an acute building problem during the last 30 days, could curtail U. S. home production for 1956, Harold E. Parker of Martinez, president of the General Contractors Association of Contra Costa County said today.

The prominent local builder said that the mortgage finance situation was a major topic of discussion at the sessions of the Board of Directors of the National Association of Home Builders held recently in Washington, D.C.

"U. S. housing is undergoing a transition period," he added, "and it is more important than ever that additional sources of mortgage credit be made available to home buyers."

He pointed out that millions of new post-war houses constructed have eased the housing shortage and that the industry is now operating in a buyer's market as consumers have become progressively more selective and healthy competition has appeared in the industry.

While housing starts during the past three months have been hovering below the predicted annual rate of 1.2 million, the increasing tightness of mortgage funds could cut this year's production below that level, Parker indicated.

Music Teachers Report on Funds, Nominate Slate

The annual business meeting for members of the Music Teachers' Association of California, Contra Costa Branch, will be Tuesday at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Evangeline Honnold, 175 Moraga Highway, Orinda.

A report of the recent Scholarship Fund Recital given by the teachers will be given by Inerz Barr, treasurer; also the nominating committee will present the slate for election of officers. On the nominating committee are Joan Fyhrie, Clara Floyd and Fred Freeman.

The next scheduled meeting of the Music Teachers' is in September.

Word has come from the Music Teachers' Association of California that Frederick Freeman of Walnut Creek has received honorable mention for a composition written for two pianos and a voice composition he submitted to the Composers and Authors contest.

Recognition will be made at the State Convention in San Diego July 8-12. At the same convention Doris Marliave of Walnut Creek will join other members of the Contra Costa Branch as a holder of a California Plan Degree given by the Music Teachers' Association.

Representative to the convention will be the branch president Margaret Winters of Orinda.

Realtors to Fresno Meet

Eleven members of the Contra Costa Real Estate Board planned to attend a California Real Estate Association directors meeting in Fresno today and tomorrow it was announced.

They are Barney Gilbert, board president, Buck Johnson, Bill Anderson, Harlan Geldermann, M. H. Binker, Frank Curtis, Al Ingalls, Wady Wadsworth, King Parker Jr., Ken Richardson and Wayne Bailey, board secretary.

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State Commissioner Will Talk Law to Realtors

D. D. Watson, State Real Estate Commissioner and his top aides will meet with all real estate licensees in Central and Eastern Contra Costa County June 8 at 7:30 p.m. at the Walnut Creek Recreation Center.

The Contra Costa Real Estate Board is cooperating with the commissioner on arrangements and indications are that the meeting will be one of the largest of its kind ever held in the area, according to Barney Gilbert, president.

"The various new laws affecting those engaged in the real estate business have prompted hundreds of inquiries by letter and telephone from those in the business," said Watson.

"FOR THE PURPOSE of answering these questions and clarifying the meaning of the many recent law changes, the division of real estate has arranged a series of about 30 such discussion meetings throughout the state.

"The conferences will be held during afternoons or evenings, and not in connection with any luncheon or dinner sessions. They are open to all real estate licensees and prospective licensees, and there will be no charge for the session.

Watson will act as moderator at each meeting, and the various questions will be answered by him, his two chief deputies and the supervisor of licensing from Sacramento.

MANY OF THE questions received concern the new method of licensing persons entering the business, and also the application of the new regulations affecting brokers who make mortgage or trust deed loans.

The panel discussions will be informal and questions will be invited from the audience.

"The need for getting together with licensees to explain and impress upon them their responsibilities to the public has long been apparant.

After careful consideration, it was decided that the series of panel discussions would be most effective in accomplishing this purpose," said Watson.

Skywatch Post Moved to Walnut Creek Armory

The Laafyette Ground Observer Post, which has been in operation for two years in Lafayette, is being moved to the National Guard Armory in Walnut Creek, according to William W. Ward Jr., director of civil defense.

The armory is located at 1800 Carmel Drive, Walnut Creek, and is considered by the air force as a more favorable location than the present Lafayette installation.

Recruits 18 years old or older are needed to fill out the schedule so that the post can function around the clock, Ward said.

Persons interested in spending two hours a week sky-watching are urged to contact Mrs. Isabelle Salisbury, post supervisor, at ATlantic 3-2691, or the Contra Costa County Office of Civil Defense, Martinez 2888.

PULL OVER

If you hear a siren when driving, you must clear any intersection you may be in, then pull over as far to the right as possible and stop. You should stay put until the emergency vehicle has passed.

Christian Science

The rich fruits of understanding the completeness and perfection of God's creation will be emphasized at services Sunday at Churches of Christ, Scientist, 22 Orinda Highway, Orinda, and 1347 Locust Street, Walnut Creek.

Scriptural selections in the Lesson Sermon entitled "God the Only Cause and Creator" will include the following from Isaiah (25:1): "O Lord, thou art my God; I will exalt thee, I will praise thy name; for thou hast done wonderful things; thy counsels of old are faithfulness and truth."

Among the passages to be read from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy is the following (69: 13): "Spiritually to understand that there is but one creator, God, unfolds all creation, confirms the Scriptures, brings the sweet assurance of no parting, no pain, and of man deathless and perfect and eternal."

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Dons, Pirates, Knights All Take Pennants

Acalanes Teams Nab 5 Titles, Pitt Wins Four

The Acalanes Dons and the Pittsburg Pirates were the top pennant winners in the 1955-56 prep athletic season.

The Dons copped five mythical pennants, and the Pirates four, while Pacifica, the league's baby member, was the only school in the circuit not to cop at least one top spot.

Pittsburg won the varsity football championship, while the Dons' J.V. eleven did likewise.

IN BASKETBALL the Pirates were number one in varsity ratings, while the Pitt Bees tied with Antioch.

In track, Diablo's varsity was first, as was the Pittsburg Bee team.

Baseball found Acalanes and Diablo in a tie.

IN SWIMMING the Dons swept the county in varsity competition, then went on to win the North Coast for the first time in the history of Contra Costa County.

It was Las Lomas as county Bee swim champion, the first title in the school's history.

The Don golfers stroked their way to an undefeated season, as did the Don tennis team, both winning the title.

The Pleasant Hill Rams won the Class B gymnastics title.



STRAINING FOR THAT extra inch, Tom Webb of Pleasant Hill Intermediate School kicks out during the broad jump event of the Pleasant Hill Park Recreation and Parkway District track and field meet Saturday. The meet was conducted at Pleasant Hill High School. — Sun photo by Jim Gates

Port Chicago Defeated 10-3 By Localites

The Lafayette Legion Post 517 baseball team made its league opener a good one last Sunday when it played host to the Port Chicago nine and then waxed them 10-3 behind some good pitching and some top defensive play.

The club, sporting new white uniforms, purchased by their co-sponsor, the Hayward Teamsters, barged to an 8-0 lead at the end of two innings and, while Port Chicago counted single runs in the third and sixth innings, the Lafayette club counted a pair of their own in the third, to make the final tally 10-3, as Lafayette didn't score the rest of the way, while the losers tallied one in the ninth.

NEITHER CLUB did too well with the bat, the Lafayette nine getting five safe blows to Port Chicago's four.

Six walks, four errors and timely hitting accounted for the Lafayette margin. Lafayette used four pitchers in notching the win.

ALL 14 players in suit for Lafayette saw action.

Mac Waddell hurled the first three, Mike Kritscher the next three, Steve Jordan the next two and Jim Dinkel finished up on the mound for Lafayette.

Dave Bojarsky and Iver Egland divided the catching duties.

Bob Miller went the distance on the mound for the visitors, with Ray La Pointe behind the mask.

Local Drivers in School Rodeo

Two Acalanes High School District bus drivers won recognition recently in the Second Annual Northern California School Rodeo, held on the West Contra Costa Junior College Campus.

They are Adele Carey of 1 Westwood Court, Oakland, with first place in the Women's Small Bus classification, and Roland Coad of 129 Walden Road, first place in the Men's Small Bus class.

Pleasant Hill Track Meet Ends, Area Event Tomorrow

Saturday brought to a close the Pleasant Hill Intermediate School Track Meet which was conducted throughout the week of May 21-26. Different events were carried on during the P.E. Classes, at noon and after school.

Twelve seventh grade and 13 eighth grade homerooms competed, with the Sioux, coming out on top in the seventh grade and the Hepcats, winners in the eighth grade.

First, second and third place winners in each event, both Class A and B, were invited to compete at Pleasant Hill High School Stadium Saturday.

Despite a strong wind which hindered the running events a new school record was established in the Class B broad jump as two seventh graders, Terry Hughes and Ricky Brenna tied for first to eclipse the old mark of 14 feet place, jumping 16 feet 3 inches 3 inches held by Tom Webb.

Another seventh grader, David Moore also smashed the 220 mark of 31.4 held by Jim Scileny with a time of 30.1 to establish a new school record.

Adding insult to injury, Buddy Van Buren, a seventh grade speedster left the eighth graders in the dust as he took both the 50 yard and 100 yard dashes. In spite of these fine performances the eighth graders tucked 10 first place ribbons under their belts while running up a total of 87 points to the seventh graders' 57.

The meet was conducted as part of the Pleasant Hill Recreation District Program and was under the direction of Robert DuRee, supervisor. Gary Casey was the clerk of the course in charge of all arrangements. His officials and judges were Baron MacDonald, Warren Millham, Charles Benton, and Bill Locatelli.

Pleasant Hill boys will participate in the Annual District Meet at Pacifica High School, tomorrow at 9 a.m.

Other Intermediate schools that will be competing are Loma Vista, Glenbrook, and Riverview.

Hearing on County Park Budget Soon

The Contra Costa Park and Recreation Council will be formally represented at the public hearing on the proposed County Park Budget, scheduled for 3 p.m. on June 12, by the Board of Supervisors.

At their monthly meeting May 23, the Board of Directors of the Park Council discussed plans for attending the hearing.

The Park Council said directors are in favor of the budget figure of $150,000 for land acquisitions, proposed by the County Park Commission.

Park Council directors have pointed out that the Supervisors want to know the extent of public feeling about County parks and the proposed park budget and will welcome letters from their constituents.

The Park Council Directors recommended to Park Council members that they write to their Supervisors and suggested that all persons interested in County Parks do likewise.

Mag Measles Dilemma

Herb Caen, columnist for the San Francisco Examiner, reported the following item in his column on May 21.

"The Phoenix, St. Mary's College's Literary magazine, is being printed in London, England — it's cheaper that way, bleevitornot —but the delivery of the first issue has been delayed 10 days. Because the typesetter in London has been quarantined with German measles!"

Acalanes Elects Grigg to Head Student Slate

In keeping with the national, state and local election fever, Acalanes High School students marked their ballots last week to name student body officers for the 1956-57 school year.

Elected to head Don student activities next year were Kent Grigg, president; Bill Freeman, vice-president; Norma Waddell, secretary; Sheila Fox, treasurer; Dolores Roeschen, social secretary; and Len Saputo and Barbara Hull, boys' and girls' yell leaders.

Balloting was held after a week-long campaign by contestants for office, climaxed with a pre-election rally during which candidates presented their proposed platforms encouraging their election.

According to Acalanes principal Stanley Walgren, student body government on the Lafayette campus provides "students with real experiences in leadership and democratic processes as well as some opportunity for self-determination in activities pertaining to general student welfare."

Students Named Representatives

Don Bone, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bone of 865 Acampo Drive, Lafayette, and Marilyn Englehard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Englehard of 28 Robert Road, Orinda, have been named to represent Acalanes students at Boys State and Girls State in Sacramento this summer.

Bone, sponsored by the Lafayette Post American Legion, and Miss Englehard, sponsored by the Legion Auxiliary, will meet with oustanding high school junior representatives to participate in one week of intensive citizenship training.

Both Boys and Girls State provide essential experiences in organizing, participating in, and managing democratic government practices.

Students selected for the honor are chosen on the basis of physical fitness, leadership qualities, character and citizenship, scholastic rating, honesty and compatibility.

Knights Edge Panthers 10-9 In Overtime

The Las Lomas Knights had their troubles in the early stages of their playoff game Tuesday afternoon with the Antioch Panthers but after a rocky start settled down and came back to score a nine-inning win, 10-9.

The game was played at Las Lomas.

Antioch jumped to a 2-1 second-inning lead and extended it to a 7-3 advantage at the end of four frames.

Neither club scored in the fifth, and in the sixth Antioch took what at that time appeared to be a game-winning 9-4 margin when they outscored the home club 2-1.

THE KNIGHTS came back with a scoring splurge of 5 runs in the seventh, to knot it 9-9, and that's the way things stayed until the bottom of the ninth, when a hit batter forced in the winning run.

It came about after center fielder Doug Potter led off on a fielder's choice when the next batter, Right Fielder Don Ogden, hit to shortstop.

Vern Kenly, the Las Lomas shortstop, struck out, and that made it two down.

Third Baseman Terry Yeager gave the Knights life when he singled, sending Ogden to second, and when Catcher Roger Cowell walked, the bases were loaded.

FIRST BASEMAN Bob Duchene was next in the batter's box, and when a wild pitch hit him it sent Ogden home with the winning run, and the old ball game was over.

The Knights outhit the visitors 14-12 and had three errors to Antioch's four.

In the hit department Antioch Catcher Doug West was the big noise, banging out five singles in five trips to the plate.

BOB DUCHENE with a double and two singles and Second Baseman Gary Coleman with three singles paced the Knights, each with three for four.

Dick Stanley went the first four innings for Las Lomas on the mound, being replaced by Joe Sibley in the fifth.

Tom Tolan and Roger Cowell shared the catching duties.

For Antioch it was Gino Schutte the first 7⅔ innings, with Danny McKinny replacing him, while Doug West went the distance behind the mask.

The Knights' win gave them a three-way tie for third in the final league standings, along with Antioch and Pleasant Hill.

The Acalanes Dons and the Diablo Devils tied for the top spot.

Academic Feats Earn Don Pins

Twenty-two Acalanes High School seniors have earned "life membership" pins in the California Scholastic Federation, state honor society, for continuous superior academic work.

Ten of the pin winners have without exception held highest academic grades for every semester to date of their high school careers. The ten include: Marjorie Fish, Mark Jensen, Hope Davidson, Judy Olson, James Dodds, Judy Miner, Lynn Davidson, Keith de Villers, Russ Mjolsnes and Jay Bridges.

Other seniors named for life pins for academic aptitude were Dan Bacon, Jane Seulbergr, Nancy Richard, Roberta Miles, Diane Bregar, Larry Lastrucci, Beth Johnson, Walter Gulick, Joyce Losh, Karen Weitz, Sally Weidlein and Kathy Roberts.

SPORTS

Sideline Slants

To Dance or to Compete? Track Stars Prefer Music

By ERWIN MATTSON

IT IS INTERESTING to note that four local prep trackmen qualified for the State track meet by virtue of placing in the North Coast Section meet held at Berkeley last Saturday. The State meet is to be held tomorrow at Chico.

The interesting part is not that they placed but that they chose not to go, prefering to go to the Senior Ball.

Times have really changed — it used to be that an athlete would give up anything to go to such an event as the State finals.

In fact, only the top sixteen in the State can qualify.

To qualify and then choose to go dancing hits a new high or a new low, depending on how you look at it.

RUMOR HAS IT that it evolved around the fact that one gal had bought a particular dress for the occasion and couldn't bear to be disappointed.

If such is the case, I wonder how much satisfaction she might have gotten out of saying "You worked hard all season long and have accomplished an honor for yourself and the school in the field of track, and I want you to go on."

I must admit I am prejudiced in favor of athletics, and in turn in favor of athletes who take the sport seriously and give their all; and I'm not alone in that.

Unofrtunately, for many it has become an age of "let's have everything and let's give up nothing."

Somehow it seems to fall short of giving the sense of satisfaction and gratification that comes with going all out to do the best job possible — which might even involve the giving up of a bit of social life in the form of a dance.

May the music be sweet and the memories pleasant.

EACH TO HIS OWN — I'll take the champ who goes all the way and plays the game to the end!

It is a note of interest that the Acalanes Dons, who placed third in the County meet, were at the head of the list of Diablo Valley Athletic League schools when points were totaled in last Saturday's North Coast Section meet held at Edwards Stadium down Berkeley way.

Diablo, which copped first and Pittsburg with second in the local county meet, were well down the line in final tabulation.

The baseball season wound up in a series of ties. The Acalanes Dons and the Diablo Devils tied for first, while Las Lomas, Pleasant Hill and Antioch were all knotted up for third, while Pacifica with 12 losses and nary a win wound up all alone in the deep dark cellar.

They came close though, leading Diablo for five frames, and barely getting edged by the Dons 2-1.

IT WAS AN INTERESTING year, but next season looks to be even more so.

Look for interest in prep baseball to grow. A conservative estimate places 1500 kids in the various junior ball leagues..

That means players of top caliber, and a group of interested spectators.

The Lafayette Juniors make their debut on June 9.

A capacity crowd is promised and the new diamond, under construction at Acalanes, is a big league park in miniature. Look for announcements and plan to be on hand if you have a taste for ball at all.

Las Lomas had packed their suits, but the ball team had to unpack to play Antioch as the Antioch nine had a chance to tie for first after upsetting Diablo.

The Knights didn't unpack for nothing, however, as they copped a 10-9, nine inning win, with a story book finish.

Women's Society Seats Officers

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Lafayette Community Methodist Church recently installed the following officers for the coming year:

Mrs. Ralph Winters, president; Mrs. G. A. Rogers, vice-president; Mrs. Mae Watkins, recording secretary; Mrs. W. G. Larson, treasurer; Mrs. John S. Hess, secretary of promotion; Mrs. F. P. Westfall, secretary of missionary education; Mrs. John Janzen, secretary of Christian social relations.

Mrs. Mike Roberts, secretary student work; Mrs. Milton Adair, secretary youth work; Mrs. John McBride, secretary children's work; Mrs. Verna Ramsay, secretary spiritual life; Mrs. Charles M. Gass, secretary literature; Mrs. Owen Haskell, secretary supply work; Mrs. Bertha Huntsman, secretary status of women; Mrs. Jess Mendenhall, chairman Circle 1; Mrs. Manuel Lucas, chairman Circle 2.

Mrs. T. G. Nordlund, chairman Circle 3; Mrs. W. H. Banks, chairman Friendship Circle; Mrs. Charles Lobenberg, dinner chairman; Mrs. Robert Mills, hospitality chairman; Mrs. F. P. Westfall, visitation chairman.

Turnabout Show Plays in S.F.

After 4535 performances over a span of 15 years in Hollywood, the unique Turnabout Theater is now in San Francisco, at Polk and Turk Streets, complete with its two stages, its streetcar seats which turn about, its 800 marionettes and several of its original "live" performers.

The current puppet show which occupies the first half of the bill is "Tom and Jerry," a spoof of the Horatio Alger legend. The live variety revue, entitled "This Way Please," features Frances Osborne, comedienne; Albert Mol, Dutch mime and dancer in his American debut; Odetta, chanteuse of folk songs; Harry Burnett, comedian, and Forman Brown, composer and lyricist who emcees the entire show and does a solo number at the piano.

Performances are nightly (except Sundays and Mondays) at 8:30 with special 2:30 matinees Saturdays and Sundays. Starting June 16, original "Tommy Turnabout" children's matinees will be added.

'Oklahoma!' Now In Third Month

Rodgers and Hammerstein's "Oklahoma!," first motion picture filmed in the new Todd-AO process, is now in its third month at the Coronet Theater in San Francisco. Due to the special equipment needed to show this film, "Oklahoma!" will not be shown anywhere else in Northern California for at least one year.

Gordon MacRae, Shirley Jones, Rod Steiger, Charlotte Greenwood, Gloria Grahame and Eddie Albert are cast in the leading roles.

Mail orders are promptly filled. There are three performance every Saturday and Sunday; two on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, and one performance on each Monday and Tuesday.

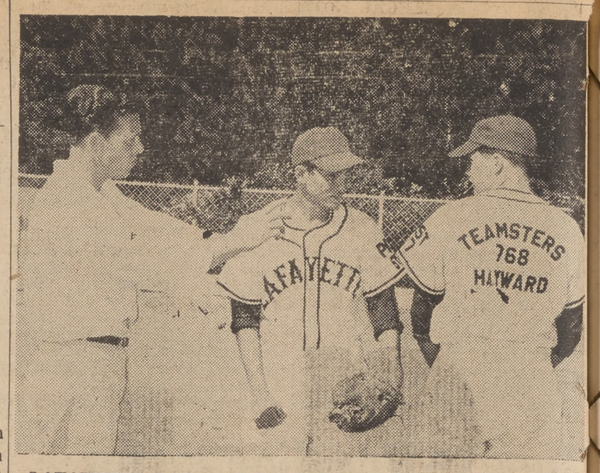
Two Dons Awarded Harvard Scholarships

Two Acalanes students, Dan Bacon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Barton E. Bacon of 3701 Mosswood Drive, Lafayette, and Russ Mjolsnes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard O. Mjolsnes of 224 Camino Sobrante, Orinda have been awarded scholarships to Harvard University.

Bacon has already received the Bausch-Lomb Science Award for scholastic aptitude in science, and a Bank of America Achievement Award for ability in science and math.

The announcement of the scholarship award for the two Dons marks the fourth and fifth Harvard scholarships awarded Acalanes graduates in the past four years.

Arthur Siler, former Acalanes student, who has attended Harvard on a similar scholarship, graduates this year from Harvard as a Rhodes Scholar and is on the Harvard Dean's list ranking third academically in the Harvard graduating class.



LAFAYETTE LEGION POST 517 and Teamsters Union Local 768 of Hayward are co-sponsoring a Junior Legion baseball team. Mike Dolan (left) studies the front and back of the team's uniform, as shown by players Dave Bojarsky (center) and Steve Jordan. —Sun photo by Mattson

Diamond Chatter...

Parents Urged to Attend Fine Junior League Games

By MEL ALAMANO

After three weeks of league play, the standings for Walnut Creek Recreation Junior Baseball are listed below.

Some fine games are played every night!

There is a big improvement over last year already. fine pitching and the hitters are coming to life.

Many sparkling field plays by all teams have been noted. Very

THE NEED FOR another good diamond is becoming more serious as summer vacation draws near.

Always there is a need for finances to keep the boys busy all summer.

All parents are urged to support their boys' teams by coming out and watching them play. Many of these youths will enter high school this fall and the first crop of graduates of our junior leagues will be gunning for freshman teams.

Here are some scores and highlights:

In the Eastern League; Schroder 8, Al Pereira 8, a tie. Hitting were Eric Hinge and Hal Stephenson; Diablo Drugs 5, Maple Town 4. It was the best game of the week. Connie Lindsay pitched and hit Diablo to win.

Bobby Samuels homered for Maple.

HOLIDAY KITCHENS 13, Van Horn Motors 5. Rock Miles was the winning pitcher, and Monlux hit 3 for 3, one a homer. Ed Van Horn homered.

Sports and Games 8, City School of Music 0. Tom Strain pitched a one-hitter. Bob Billham got 3 for 3. Johnny Jones hit 2 for 2. Dantone pitched good ball for Music House.

Henry Kaiser 6, Contra Costa Speedway 3. Gary pitched 3 hit ball. R. Wilbur was the hitting star of the game. Mike Ward the losing pitcher; he pitched fine ball also.

In the Western League:

Lafayette Beauty Shop 18, Kitty Bar 17. Bob Fink starred for Lafayette. Highland Realty drew a bye.

ARABIAN COLTS 12, Lucas Motors 9. Colts came from behind to hand Lucas players their first defeat.

Hendrick Piano 16, Hayward Realty 1. Ron Beaubein homered with the bases full for Hendrick. Brain, Allen and Scott hit hard.

In the Coast League:

Norm Robinson 4, Barney Gilbert 0; Parker Robb 11, First Savings 9; W. D. Sheet Metal 12, Broadway Pharmacy 7; D. K. Young Sewers 28, Millo Mae Pherson 1; Scotty's Waffle Shop 10, Berkeley Savings 3.

ALSO THOMPSON Electric 15, Boero Sport Shop 11; Air Force Reserve 4, Exchange Club 2; W.C. Canning vs. Broadway Pharmacy postponed.

Here is the schedule for this weekend and next week:

Eastern League at city park: tomorrow at 4 p.m.; Schroder Insuror vs. C.C. Speedway; tomorrow, 7:30 p.m., Henry J. Kaiser Company vs. Maple Towne; Sunday, 6:30 p.m., Al Pereira Excavating vs. Sports and Games; Sunday, 7:30 p.m., City Music House vs. Diablo Drugs.

Western League Schedule at city park; today, 6:30 p.m., Lucas Motors vs. Hayward Realty; tomorrow, 6 p.m., Kitty Bar vs. Highland Realty; Sunday, 4 p.m., Hendrick Piano in a practice game; Sunday, 6:30 p.m., Lafayette Beauty Shop vs. Arabian Colts.

COAST LEAGUE Schedule: today, 6:30 p.m., Boero Sport Shop vs. Barney Gilbert at Parkmead; tomorrow at 6:30 p.m., First Savings and Loan vs. Scotty's Waffle Shop at Parkmead; Sunday, 6:30 p.m., W.C. Sheet Metal vs. Air Force Reserve at city park; Monday, Berkeley Savings and Loan vs. Exchange Club at Parkmead.

Also Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Parker-Robb vs. Thompson Electric at city park; Wednesday, Boero Sport Shop vs. Scotty Waffle at Parkmead; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Millu MacPherson vs. First Savings at city park; Thursday at 6:30 p.m., D. K. Young Sewers vs. W.C. Sheet Metal at city park; Thursday at 6:30 p.m., Norm Robinson Chev. vs. Air Force at Parkmead.

STANDINGS ARE as follows:

EASTERN LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Tie
Sports & Games Inc.	3	0	
Henry J. Kaiser C.	3	0	
Diablo Drugs	2	1	
City School	2	1	
Al Pereira Excav.	1	1	1
Holiday Kitchens	1	2	
Maple Towne	1	2	
Van Horn Motors	1	2	
Schroder Insuror	0	2	1
Contra Costa Spd.	0	3	

WESTERN LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Tie
Hendrick Piano	3	0	
Lucas Motors	2	1	
Hayward Realty	1	1	
Arabian Colts	1	1	
Laf. Beauty Shop	1	1	
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Junior Legion Ball Gets Off To Full Schedule

Junior Legion baseball got under way this past week and a full schedule of play is on tap from now until the closing games on June 23, with the winner of the local circuit going on to regional playoffs.

Tomorrow finds Lafayette hosting Concord, Martinez at Port Chicago and Walnut Creek at Pittsburg.

On Sunday it'll be Pittsburg at Lafayette, Port Chicago at Walnut Creek and Martinez shows at Concord.

All games are set for 2 p.m.

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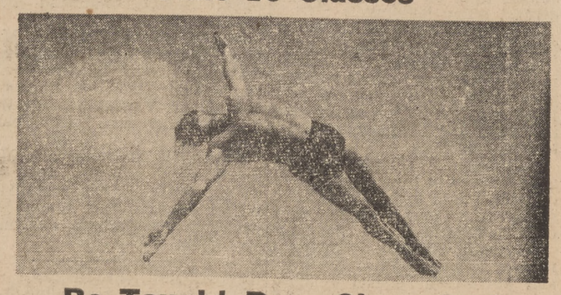
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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Governing Board of the Orinda Union School District of Contra Costa County calls for sealed bids for furniture for the Del Rey School, to be deposited before the time set for opening bids at the Office of the District Superintendent at the Pine Grove School. Award of the contract will be made at a later meeting of the Governing Board.

General Conditions and Detailed Specifications may be secured at the office of the District Superintendent at the Pine Grove School. Bids will be opened at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, June 12, 1956, at the Office of the District Superintendent, and will be awarded at a Special Meeting of the Board of Trustees, Tuesday, June 19, 1956, at 7:00 p.m. at the Pine Grove School.

By order of the Board of Trustees of the Orinda Union School District.

Dated: May 21, 1956.

s/CATHERINE SCHWARCK
Clerk of the Board

O-733, Or. Sun, May 25, June 1, 1956.

Orindans Win College Degrees

Residents of Orinda who received Associate in Arts degrees from Stephens College in Columbia, Mo., are Miss Austin Hutton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland Hutton, 10 Snowberry Lane, and Miss Elizabeth M. Selby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton L. Selby, 107 Camino Don Miguel.

Commencement exercises for the 123rd graduating class at the college were held last Tuesday, with degrees conferred on 625 candidates by President Thomas Arthur Spragens.

Hospital Branch Plans June Show

The Azalea Branch of the Children's Hospital of the East Bay is planning its annual "Azalea Blossoms" Dessert Bridge and Fashion Show. The date has been set for June 6 at the Lake Merritt Sailboat House.

Mrs. John J. McCaffery is in charge of the fashion show.

Brown Named Local Head of US Bonds Drive

Merle D. Brown, manager of American Trust Company, Orinda, has been named Orinda district chairman of the U.S. Savings Bonds program.

Brown's appointment was announced by W. W. Crocker, San Francisco banker and chairman of the Northern California Savings Bonds Committee.

In announcing Brown's appointment, Crocker said:

"We are happy to have Mr. Brown with us in this important national program. He assumed his duties at a time when all of us are increasing our efforts to sell more savings bonds.

"Secretary of the Treasury George M. Humphrey has assured us that few things are of greater significance in our whole economy than the savings bonds program, as it is vital to both constructive management of the debt and the maintenance of sound money."

Drive carefully—save a life.

Camera Antiques Showing at Shop

The Orinda Camera Shop is displaying a collection of cameras and equipment dating back as far as 18770.

The collection is the property of William High, instructor of photography at Oakland Junior College.

Anyone having any old cameras or photographic equipment he would like to donate to High's collection—to be used only as educational display is asked to contact Bud Drippo or Dale McGill at the Orinda Camera Shop.

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Sponges	Dupont	2 for 29c	Pork and Beans	Drew 2½ can	2 for 29c
All	Extra fluffy	69c	Kidney Beans	Drew	2 for 25c
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Beet Aspic	Glorietta	2 for 29c	Chili and Beans	IXL 40 oz.	49c
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Suburbia Scribblings

By MARIE MONAHAN

Just pass the clam-dip, please

THERE'S SCARCELY A HOSTESS, fatigued and "half-dead," who to her guests hasn't fibbed and said, "It was nothing, no bother, really nothing at all."

"Come for Cocktails" is an invitation most casually issued, more casually accepted but not often so casually accomplished.

The canape and cracked-ice affair is to most of us, (except when we surround ourselves w/"old-shoe" pals,) not quite the casual party we like to think it is.

Like the lady over the holidays who served silvery trays of thousands of hors d'oevures, (enough for the Waldorf), tied bows and bells to hundreds of stemmed glasses, who looked unfeverish and perfectly perfect-hostess till the last guest left. She then swooned into hubby's arms, but hubby wasn't there to catch her. He had just collapsed himself.

THEIR SEEMINGLY CASUAL PARTY had taken days of planning, polishing, painting and prettifying, and however extreme this case may be, such affairs put on by parents of young children generally necessitate much more than a LITTLE effort.

Next time you pick up a crab-filled creampuff, a tasty little antipasto, a high and mighty unmanageable hors d'oeuvres, do it with no sophisticated "we have these every night" implications. TELL your hostess she's terrific, the food and flowers are terrific, the house and kids are terrific, and you, having been on the hostess' end yourself, know it just doesn't happen that way. Maybe then she'll let up and admit it. And you can bet your best earrings, she'll never omit YOU from her special guestlist!

Cocktail parties, none simple, some swishy, were going strong Sat. nite. Baby sitters were at a premium as the parents of the young and their guests were out, 700 strong, to enjoy the popular annual Nursery School Dance at Diablo which has become somewhat of an Orindan tradition.

Silver threads among the gold

Last year, parents looked "younger than ever." This year they appeared even younger than THAT! This is, of course, due to the fact that we've had another b'day and tempis doth foolya, you know!

HAVING PRE-DINNER POTABLES AND TOTABLES at the home of Clinton and Gail De Witt, (she was ticket chrmn.), were Tom and Joan Titmus, Maile and Roger Olson, Gail and Alan Searcy, Libby and Bill Brock, John and Lois Bunce, George and Jan Prlain, Paul and Betty Slattery, Bob and Rita De Witt, and the Holmgrens, Van and Stan.

Over in Sleepy Hollow, Tom and Merlon Howard entertained early for Don and Millie Tibbitts, Bob and Cinders McFarland, Paul and Mickey Simpson, Vern and Lorena Louis.

Pre-Dinner Dance guests of the Dickinsons, Dwight and Vang, included Pat and Leo Lemire, and Madeline and Cal Bowles, while around the Maurice Gardners cocktail table were the John Den Dulks, Bill Indigs, Stan Sorems, John Pearsons, Joseph Nicolets, the Ray O'Flyngs, Chris Harnetts . . . Also the Channing Kilburns, Betsy in a rich strawberry pink cotton w/embroidered ribbon trim also on a matching cardigan sweater . . . Yates and Cornelia Bleuel, (she in a blue cotton brocade sheath) and Marge and Bill Douglas w/Marge wearing white pique, ruffled bodice, to contrast her early deep dark tan.

Nancy and Jim Dupuis passed appeteasers to Carol and Roy Rushton, John and Genevieve Delsol, Tom and Nan Elmore, Mary and Freeman Bishop, Joy and Bob Lee, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Case.

AMONG THOSE CONGREGATING EARLY at the Arthur Sassones for martinis and munchers were Betsy and Charlie Lohse, Peg and Doug Manuel, Jean and Rick Richardson, Ruth and Russell Gilwee, Teddy and Ollie Gardner, the Bernard Thomases . . . Mary Sassone, who handled publicity for the dance, wore a bare-shouldered pink and white baby gingham.

Genial friends gathered for a No-Host gathering at the Orchard Road home of Elsie and Kerry Keresy . . . Relaxing here together before the drive to Diablo were Pete and Kay Radcliff, Bill and Dee Seifert, Dorothy and John Williams, Peg and Chuck Beckett, Phil and Marilyn Joy, who arrived w/Marilyn's brother Chuck Sponberg and his wife Gloria over from Marin for the popular party.

TABLED TOGETHER . . . The John Van Dynes, Bob and Nancy Cowgill, Kathy and Jack Berard, (her dress bouffant white, black scroll design, worn w/a black knit stole) Fran and Dale McBane, Connie and John Miller, the Jay Meyers, all having come from still another cocktail gathering hosted by Jody and Bill Allen. Yvonne Meyer's white satiny princess-style cotton sateen, one of the prettiest dresses there.

White dinner coats looked good

Martin and Maude White joined the Ted Mayes for dinner . . . Another trio together, the Chandler Barkelews, Don Steeles, Bob Milligans . . . Taking a breather on the terrace, the Jim Dennings and Volney Plumb whose red-haired wife Pinky was pretty elegant in draped and shawled two-tone turquoise chiffon.

Honored Guest Jean Henderson and Stuart surrounded constantly by old friends and new, came from another conclave at the Sleepy Hollow home of the Gene Estes as did Beverly and Peter Veitch, Adela and Fitz Fitzimmons, Henry and Wirtable Harris, Myrtle and William Patterson, the ladies who were honored as the teaching staff of the Nursery School by prexy June Estes whose guestlist incl. a score of friends and neighbors as well.

Alysone and Ned DeLaveaga chatted w/Betsy Lohse, all among those meeting early at the Wayne Bentleys . . . Ditto the Bob Fields, Jim Irwins, Donald Doyles. The John Dorrs in another party, Mary wearing a beautiful white eyelet-embroidered cotton, a three-tiered starched skirt . . . The Dick Osbornes brought the Bob Rapidas, (both are on THE SUN staff) . . . The Leighton deMaeyers, George Andersons, Leonard Roths in the summer-garbed throng . . . A few white dinner jackets, one on Bill Sergeant, there w/Pat, the Harold Sages, Bob Palmgrens.

TIME OUT FOR A CUP OF COFFEE, fresh fruit compote, and Danish pastry over at 13 Virginia Drive with a score of well-dressed wide-awake women who turned up shortly after ten a.m. last Thurs. to meet and greet Ardyce Handlery, sister to Lonnie Currier, who hostessed the morning party in honor of the new Orindan.

The Paul Handlerys (he handles the Handlery hotelerys of which the Lake Merritt is one) recently moved here from Pied. Pines w/their four youngsters daughter Kim, 9, Michael, 4, Nancy, 2, and 3-mos. old Steven. Son Michael did daytime host duties, directing the driving ladies to park and then down the stairs and into the big sunlit gameroom which looks out on the lovely pool, the handsome wooded garden where rhododendrons of every hue appear to be growing wild.

Some of those on hand to welcome Ardyce were Tish Winkworth, Mildred Pridemore, Betty Lyman, (both in suits and hats bound for town), Lucretia Allinson sporting a springish straw bag festooned w/flowers, Eve Biesel, Evie Hopper, Ruth Landon, Helen Niemi, Florence Payne, Millie Walling, Doris Hawks . . . Nancy Raffinella who is in a new home on Scenic Court delighted w/her new pool, Terry Schralla and Margaret Peterson, another twosome. Glorietta newcomers Jean Huntington, Joanne Buckley.

GOLF, REDECORATING predominated the mid-morning conversations . . . Kay Murphy, Millie Williams, Ginnie Brailsford, Jill Miller among the half-hundred guests. Dottie Guinther, Fran Landwehr pouring tea and coffee.

Between the cocktails, the coffee, and all those names, names, names, we've decided to dash down to the drugstore for an ice cream soda so that's IT this time!

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TRASH DUMP has "blossomed" in recent weeks on the Kaiser Quarry road, just off the south side of Mt. Diablo Boulevard, a short distance west of Orinda. Penny Howe gingerly inspects some of the unsightly accumulation. Community organizations and individuals, having recently conducted a successful cleanup drive, are concerned — and the county has consistently warned that such trash-dumping at roadside is illegal as well as a blemish and a health menace.

—Snu photo by Mattson

Friendly Farms-Orchard

By PERSIS K. REED, AT 3-2405

Community activities kept everyone hopping recently — the Springhill Roundup, the Chuck Wagon Breakfast and two improvement club meetings.

Al Mayfield of Carol Lane was third in the election for school trustees May 18 (did YOU vote?) and the margin of votes was close enough to be encouraging to one running for elective office the first time.

Craig Mayfield would also like it to be known that he reached 9 years of age on May 5 and had a party to prove it. He invited Paul and Rodney Marchant, Bruce Shepard, Paul Tiedman, Billy Ball, Ed Stellar, Danny Misciagna, David Miller, and his brother Doug, to a dessert luncheon and to the show to see "Heidi."

Leslie Anne Devlin was one year old on May 9, and her grandfather, Budd Devlin, came all the way from Vancouver, B. C., to help her celebrate. Her grandmother, Mrs. Emily Phillips, her uncle, Kenneth Devlin, both of Oakland, joined the Lafayette Devlins for a family dinner, and Leslie, apparently feeling something spectacular was expected of her, took her first steps alone.

CLINICAL CRONIES

Gerry Maynes of Orchard Valley Lane entertained Mr. and Mrs. Peter Klain and their son, Peter Jr. of Modesto, the weekend of May 12. Gerry and Mrs. Klain were classmates at Merritt Hospital, and so both went off to attend the first reunion of Merritt alumnae in twenty years. They had a wonderful time and found another classmate had turned into Mrs. William Majors of Lafayette Valley Estates.

Alva and George Bennett are the owners of 911 Anita Court, and are moving here from San Francisco. George is retired from Southern Pacific, and his hobby is gardening which is fortunate since he's on sort of a corner lot. Alva is a member of Eastern Star, Daughters of the Nile, and Ladies Oriental Shrine, all on the distaff side o fthe aMsonic Order, and is interested in Republican Womens groups.

The Springhill Roundup was a huge success and special credit should be given to some of the many from around here who worked so hard. Lucille Lapsley was the creator of the Gooney Bir dhimself, and also the sign to entice the paying customers. — Nancy Horton and Dorothy Misciagna were chairmen of that booth and with their committee of Gooney Bird helpers, were busy all day.

The clever clowns on the sticks were the brainchild of Janet Frisbie of Woodland Way, and all the Springhill mothers in that area worked on them. Dorothy Rodman, Marge Bowers, Janet Frisbie and Norma Ortez also candied all those apples.

Gerry Maynes of Orchard Valley Lane was dispensing hot dogs as fast as she could slap the mustard in them, and Audrey Madeiors and Norma Ortez were in the Brownie cookie booth but they had it made — they let the Brownies sell the cookies (but they had baked them).

Really big news around here is that Almanor Lane is being paved — a beautiful strip of smooth road all the way from Amis to Zimmerman.

MEETS AND SPICES

The Lafayette Orchards Improvement Club met recently at the home of George Brackett, and after a business meeting, listened to a talk by Ed Larmer, one of their neighbors who is a candidate for supervisor.

The Lafayette Meadows Improvement Association held its regular meeting at the Lutheran Church recently. A new Covenant Committee consisting of Bob Variel, George Bondurant and Loring Hanson was appointed, road improvement was discussed, the idea of a picnic turned down, and the fire hydrant problem mulled over. Candidates Clarence Wallace of Danville and Dave Comstock of Alamo spoke and answered questions from the floor.

Anybody interested in that baby-sitting cooperative, call Eunice Strieb, AT 4-4368. There was an organiaztional meeting recently and she should be able to give you the initial details.

KIDDIES, UNITE!

We have worked our way up to the Six-Year Old of the Week, Tina Horton, who gave her birthday party recently. The kindergarten set around here, by reason of their numbers, are the most lionized group and those attending this function were Janice Repetto, Susan Lord, Boo Emory, Melody Misciagna, Claude Corkadel, Martha Corkadel, Don and Dave Tollefson, Pat McCluskey, Jim Marty, Maurine MacHugh, Lynn Peters, Debbie Hanson, Dougie Mayfield, and Adrienne and Allison Edens from Concord.

Most everyone belongs to some sort of an organized group which meets somewhat irregularly but manages to stay together through the years. In our case it's a bridge club which never did learn to play bridge. Thelma Greenwood's is a sewing club which has given that up, but one thing they all have in common, emphasis on eating.

Recently it was Thelma's turn, and since one of the members, Bernice Glatze of Oakland, was to fly to Hawaii last week, it seemed like a natural time for a party. The table was set in red with a huge pink lei to decorate it, the windows were draped with fishnet embellished with a ukulele, pink flowers and green canna leaves, and clusters of flowers in coconut shells.

Reveling in this lush atmosphere and enjoying Ramos fizzes, a Hawaiian dinner, and chilled pineapple pie were Mary Wing from Orinda, Eleanor Evans, Phyllis Peterson, Helen Winter, Evelyn Nichols, Midge Babcock and Mary Bretchel.

Hahn Promoted To Bank Post

Jules A. Hahn has been promoted from assistant vice president to vice president with the First Western Bank and Trust Company, Oakland central office, it was announced.

Hahn has been with the First Western company since 1947.

Playhouse Slates Summer Theater

After a successful 1955 winter season which closed with performances of "Sabrina Fair," members of Lafayette Playshop took a rest of several months.

At a meeting of newly elected officers and directors held Tuesday evening it was decided that activities for 1956 should start with a summer showing of a small-cast play. "The Rainmaker" or "Dial M for Murder" are being considered.

The Playshop invites all who are interested in being part of little theater work to attend tryouts for lead or supporting roles which will be held on or about June 11. Call Mrs. Bonnie Bosley, YE 4-8382, for time and place.

Cement Company Gets Lafayette Controller

Emmett J. Norris Jr. of 3624 Happy Valley Lane has been appointed controller of Calaveras Cement Company.

Norris, who has been with Calaveras since 1930, was appointed credit manager of the company in January of 1955. He has been its assistant treasurer since 1952.

A well-known amateur golfer, Norris is past president of the Alameda Golf Club and director of the Alameda Club and the Northern California Golf Association. He is a member of the Stanford Business School Alumni Association, having been the first representative of the cement company to enroll in the University's annual Executive Development Program two years ago.

RESTLESS KIDS

It's natural for youngsters to get restless when they're riding in a car on a long trip. Stop every once in awhile and let them romp for a minute. It will make them feel better and speed the trip for everyone.

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Canyon Callings...

By GLADYS SHALLY, DRake 6-4674

A pot luck dinner sponsored by the Canyon Community Club was held last Saturday evening at Canyon School for the benefit of the annual school and community picnic. The picnic will be held in school grounds and redwood grove on Sunday, June 10. Former residents and friends are invited to attend.

SUPERVISOR SPECIAL

That same evening it was also "open house" for supervisorial candidates for District 2. On hand also were Russell Koch, Democratic candidate for Assembly (10 District) and Paul Ward who spoke for Dr. Bob Quinney, Congressional candidate.

Informal talks were given by the five supervisorial candidates (two were not present). Each speaker, although not limited, spoke for about five minutes. All commented on our unusual two-room school and the beautiful redwoods.

Basically, all were pledged to clean county government, better county planning and attention to local problems. There were good natured comments from the candidates about the non-alphabetical order in which they were presented.

For the first time Bill Zion came second, following David Comstock. Then General Wallace spoke, followed by Eunice Koller and Harold Mutnick. Koch and Ward made their presentations last, after which there followed a question and answer period.

May 26 was the last day of Canyon's annual clean-up week. Mrs. Lois Lucius, clean-up chairman, reported exceptional activity throughout the area during the week: shrubs cut along Redwood Highway and trails by the Scouts, a pick-up of papers and cans by the primary "Woodland Guards" and a general cleaning-out-and-getting-rid-of by residents.

Junkman during the week removed various old metals, including several unwanted cars. On Saturday morning the regular garbage collector made an extra trip for trash. There were about a half dozen trash fires burning during Saturday, under the watchful eyes of Volunteer Firemen, with Paul Foster manning the fire Jeep.

Judy Kies, seventh-grader, reports her almost-new English racer bicycle stolen from her folks' garage, just off Pinehurst Road. She says she will give the almost ten dollars she has saved up in her piggy-bank if anyone should find her bike and return it to her. It was also padlocked so the wheels would not turn.

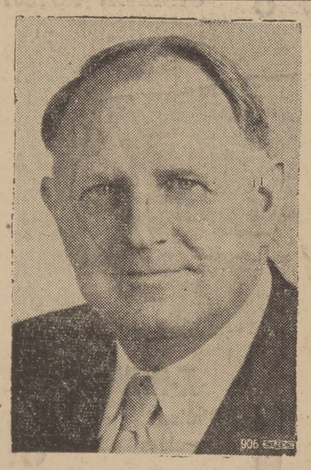
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Moraga Sun

Moraga Gets Fire Rate Cut

Moraga rseidents can expect an estimated decrease of home fire insurance rates of 48 per cent, announces Assistant Fire Chief Al Baitx.

Baitx received word of the decrease from Sam E. Hays, chief engineer of the Pacific Rating Bureau, who revealed that the Moraga Station of Eastern Contra Costa County Fire Protection District had been reclassified from Protection Class 10 to Protection Class 6.

The revised rating, said Hays, was due to improved fire protection facilities in this area.

Hays stated that a fine improvement has been made in the Zone 1 area, the area protected by water mains and fire hydrants, and said he hoped the district can go ahead with extension of the facilities so that the Zone 1 boundaries may be enlarged.

Baitx emphasized that the rate reduction will apply only to areas protected by the mains and hydrants.

The new rating data is effective May 1 and is applicaple only to policies issued on or subsequent to March 1 of this year.

Work is continuing toward the establishment of another fire house within the district, but no definite action has been taken.

COSTLY DROP

In Green Bay, Wisconsin, the law says that a motorists shall be fined for each drop of oil he allows to drip on the pavement.

Wright is Picked As Prexy of Fire Fighters

Donald Wright has been chosen to head the newly-organized Lafayette Fire Fighters Association, Local 1231, chartered by the International Association of Fire Fighters, 10th District.

Assisting Wright will be Newell Mayfield, vice-president; Norman Savoy, second vice - president; Ted Webb, secretary-treasurer, and William Phillips, steward.

George Gallagher of the San Francisco Fire Department presented the charter to the local group.

Assemblyman Donald D. Doyle, Mel Nielsen, Lafayette fire commissioner and Albert Albertoni, Oakland Fire Department captain, were present at the charted ceremonies.

Scouts to Greet Moraga Troops

Girl Scout and Brownie Troops of Orinda will present a Girl Scout and Brownie Flag to the newly formed troops in Moraga on June 12 to welcome them to the Diablo Valley Girl Scouts.

The Orinda troops earned the money for this purpose by selling refershments at the Orinda school open houses.

The flags will be presented to Moraga troops at a Court of Award ceremony to be held at Moraga School auditorium at 3:30 p.m.

Sally Farnum, Jeanne Reynolds and Janet Du Bois of Girl Scout Troop 197 and Sandra La Rue and Nancy Coker of Brownie Troop 303 will represent the Orinda Girl Scouts and Brownies at the presentation.

The new Moraga troops are Brownie Troop 23 and Intermediate Troop 96.



FLAGS WILL BE PRESENTED by Orinda Girl Scouts and Brownies to Moraga Girl Scouts and Brownies June 12 in a 3:30 p.m. ceremony at Moraga School. Orinda Brownie Troop 303 will present a Brownie flag to Moraga Moraga Brownie Troop 23. Orinda Intermediate Girl Scout Troop 197 will present a Girl Scout flag to Moraga Intermediate Girl Scout Troop 96. Admiring the respective flags are, left to right, Brownies Sandra LaRue of Troop 303 and Karen Kelly of Troop 23, and Intermediate Girl Scouts Sally Farnum of Troop 197 and Peggy Evans of Troop 96.
—Sun photo by Mattson

Moraga Dateline

By EVA THUNE, DR 6-5593

This is the beginning to be quite a social center, what with entertaining, graduation planning and parties.

Mrs. Irene Sullivan, Camino Pablo, entertained an ex-Navy school chum over the weekend, Mrs. Rose Costa Annin, of Tulare, who teaches foreign language in the Visalia high school. This was her first real tour of the Bay Area, although she has been here before.

The two friends had quite a time remembering old times and did a lot of "going." The especially enjoyed touring the U. of Cal Campus.

It has been a busy time for Irene, for on Wednesday, May 16, she gave a wedding shower for Miss Anna La France. Miss La France is scheduled to wed Mr. William Tappan Lum on June 9. They will then be neighbors of ours, as they will be "at home" in the little guest cottage on the Sullivan's property.

The 14 guests, all girls who work at St. Mary's College where Miss La France is telephone operator, presented her with many useful and lovely gifts. Present also were Mrs. D. S. La France, of Pleasant Hill, mother of the bride-to-be, and the groom's mother, Mrs. Helen Gaynor Lum of Concord.

BARNS AND BEANS

On Thursday, May 24, the Cub Scouts of Moraga Den met at the Moraga Fire House, escorted by Den Chief Sam Levy. Nine boys were present to be conducted on a grand tour of the Moraga Ranch by Den Mother Jo Baitx.

They covered the barns, bunk houses, inspected the Ranch horses and corrals, and visited the Cook House where the cook, Mrs. Sanders, demonstrated a number of the appliances she has to work with in the large kitchen.

The boys then went back to the fire house where they were given a lecture and demonstration of the fire fighting equipment by fireman John Huff. Refreshments were served by one of the boys.

Friday night the Moraga Community Club held its regular monthly meeting. About 35 people were present to meet and listen to the seven candidates for County Supervisor. Each candidate gave an 8 minute talk, covering his personal history, business background and his intentions if elected to office.

The Community Club party, to be held on Saturday night, June 2, 1956, is to be a Calico and Jean affair. In other words, don't come formal! Besides the barbecued chicken dinner, there will be swimming (weather permitting) and dancing. Everybody to his own taste, so come prepared.

Under new business, the club discussed the possibilities of the VA hospital. After reviewing the question pro and con, the Moraga Community Club passed a resolution that they will go down on record as opposed to a Veterans' Hospital on the particular site chosen for that purpose.

This is the last meeting until September, as all the people in the community are involved in plans for vacations and how to entertain Junior, who will be out of school and after about three weeks will be wondering what to do next.

MOMS END YEAR

Plans are under way for the next Moraga Mother's Club meeting, which is also the final one of the school year. As usual, the business end of it will be kept at a minimum, and a very social houd will follow.

Due to the fact that June 5 is election day the regular meeting date has been changed to June 6. As it will be as much a party as business meeting, the club will meet at the home of Mrs. Mardel Carr, which is located at the end of Camino Pablo.

Installation of the new officers will occur. Outgoing officers are: Parlee Sanders, president; Elaine Read, vice-president; Eva Thune, secretary, and Ruby Pagliere, treasurer.

Incoming officers: Donna Cole, president; Betty Parker, vice-president; Doris Davis, recording secretary; Mardel Carr, corresponding secretary, and Jo Rogers, treasurer.

Special refreshments will be served by Elaine Read, Eva Thune, Ruby Pagliere and Donna Cole, donations being mabe dy members.

Last week, Mrs. Julius Gloria of Larch Road entered Herrick Memorial Hospital in Berkeley to undergo surgery. Reports are she is feeling fine and expects to be home again by the end of this week.

NO PLACE LIKE IT

Taking a week's vacation away from home and children were Mr. and Mrs. Carrol D. Kelly of Rheem Boulevard. Despite the fact that business took part of the time spent in Los Angeles, the weather was just right and there was plenty of pleasure, too.

According to Mrs. Jo Kelly, the three days spent in Carmel were fun but she nearly froze, so was glad to get back to Moraga and warm up.

The art display in the Safeway Store, Walnut Creek, was interesting to many. Especially so to me. Reason? Caroline Thune, junior and art major at Acalanes High School, displayed six paintings and as a result made her first outside sale! Hope this will will be the selling point for further education after graduation. The picture? Bareback riders and horses at the circus.

BACK SEAT FOR KIDS

When youngsters are riding in the car, the safest place for them is in the back seat sitting down. In the event of a quick stop they're less apt to be injured.

Go to Church Sunday

Presbyterian

Roy Riviere, director of Young Life Campaign in the Bay Area, will occupy the pulpit next Sunday at the Lafayette-Orinda Presbyterian Church in the absence of the pastor.

Riviere has particular insight into the needs of high school students and will share his convictions along these lines in his message. Duplicate services at 9:30 and 11 a.m.

Church school services will be held as usual at 9:30 and 11 a.m. at the Lafayette Town Hall for children over three. Nursery for both classes is at the home of Mrs. Ellen Brians, 1030 Brown Avenue, Lafayette.

Choir rehearsal is every Thursday evening at 8 p.m. at the home of Barbara Wulfert, 62 Rheem Boulevard, Orinda. Henry Schneider is directing.

Women's bible classes will be held on the following schedule:

Tuesday, 8:15 p.m., home of Barbara Dear, 1105 Laurel Drive, Lafayette (no nursery).

Tuesday, 10 a.m., home of Barbara Wulfert, 62 Rheem Boulevard, Orinda. Nursery.

Wednesday, 10 a.m., 4080 Legion Court, Lafayette. Nursery at 897 Acalanes Road, Lafayette.

Thursday, 10 a.m., home of Mary Edmunds, 14 Tara Road, Orinda. Nursery.

"Let's Face it" will be the topic of the men's bible discussion group, Thursday, 8 p.m., at the home of Jim Messinger, 51 El Rancho Drive, Walnut Creek.

Friday Breakfast, 6:45 to 7:45 a.m. meeting at Rod's Hof-Felt, 2037 Shattuck Avenue, Berkeley, is another men's activity.

Episcopal

Holy Communion services at 8, 9:30 and 11 a.m. on the first Sunday after Trinity will be held at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, 12 Via Las Cruces, Orinda.

The sermon at the 11 o'clock service will be delivered by the Rev. Albert Lucas vicar. Nursery care for pre-school children in the basement of the vicarage is provided during this service.

At the 9:30 service, during which church school will meet, there will be a lecture and study session led by the vicar for the parents and older children.

The Young People's Fellowship will meet in the undercroft at 7 p.m.

The vicar has announced that church school will end on Sunday, June 10, and that the summer scedule of 8 a.m. Holy Communion and a 10 o'clock service will begin on June 17. The end of church school will be marked by a family picnic to be held in the glade back of the church on June 10, beginning at 12:30.

Each family will bring its own lunch and the church will provide soft drinks and ice cream. There will be organized games and races with prizes.

Next Friday, June 8, the Seabury Club, couples' organization, will wind up its year with a progressive dinner. Hosts for the evening will be the Clifford Chappels, the William Loves, and the David Brunsons.

A charge of $4 per couple for the dinner will be made. Call Mrs. John W. Babcock, CL 4-4166 by June 4 for reservations.

Lutheran

"A Dangerous Delusion" will be the sermon theme of the Rev. Merle O. Tollefson, Pastor of Our Savior's Lutheran Church, 1035 Carol Lane, Lafayette, at the 8:15 and 11 a.m. services Sunday. Holy Communion will be celebrated at the 8:15 a.m. service only. Nursery accommodations are available during the 11 a.m. service.

Sunday school will meet at 9:30 a.m. for grades four through high school and adult Bible Class, and at 11 a.m. for pre-school age through grade three.

Sunday evening at 5:45 p.m. members of the Senior Luther League will meet at the church to go to Tilden Park. Bring $1.50 for horseback riding, and a box lunch.

Tuesday morning at 10 a.m. the WMF board meeting and the work day will be held at Saxton's, 3657 Happy Valley Road, Lafayette. The Board of trustees will meet at the church Tuesday evening at 8 p.m.

The Wednesday evening Bible study will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Pingree, 3182 Acalanes Road, Lafayette.

Thursday morning at 10 a.m. the Women's Bible Study will meet in the Fellowship Hall of the church. Thursday evening at 8 p.m. the adult inquiry class will meet with the Pastor, and the Senior Choir will meet for rehearsal in the Fellowship Hall.

Methodist

Sunday Morning Worship Services will be held at 9:30 and 11 a.m. this Sunday at the Lafayette Community Methodist Church, 955 Moraga Road.

Thomas Huff will preach on the topic "The Great Commission."

Church school will be at 9:30 and 11 o'clock, and Methodist Youth Fellowship meets at 7 p.m. in the church lounge.

Church school teachers will meet Tuesday at 8 p.m. to further plans for Daily Vacation Bible School which will start June 18.

The executive board of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will hold a luncheon meeting Thursday at 10 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Chester R. Lewis. Circle 3 of the WSCS will meet at 1:30 at the parsonage, 819 Rosedale Avenue.

Community

Rev. Chauncey Blossom will use for his sermon topic "The Three Great Forces in Our World" at the 9:30 and 11 a.m. services Sunday morning at the Orinda Community Church. Communion service will be observed at both hours.

"Motet" by Brahms will be the selection presented by the Quartette at the 9:30 service, and the Chapel Choir, under the direction of Miss Sara Sableman, will sing the same number at the later service. Mrs. Lucile Fahay will be the organist.

Church School for all grades is at 9:30; nursery and church school through 3rd grade at 11. Junior Pilgrim Fellowship, under the leadership of Jim Lenhoff, meets at 4 p.m.; Senior group meets at 6:45, also with Jim Lenhoff.

A meeting of the Sunday School Officers and Teachers Conference will be held June 6. The Seafarers Club will enjoy a barbecue tonight at the Elkington home, 11 Honey Hill Road.

Episcopal

Services Sunday, the first Sunday after Trinity, will commence at 8 a.m. with Holy Communion. Morning Prayer will be at 9, while another Holy Communion will be at 11 at St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

An open house will take place for both sessions of church school from 10 to 11 a.m. Exhibits of class work and curriculum materials for both sessions will be on display in the Parish Hall.

Punch and cookies will be served by the 7th and 8th grade girls assisted by the 8th grade boys.

Awards will be issued at classes at 9 and 11 a.m. At 11:30 the children will go to their classes and the adults will stay for Holy Communion.

Baptist

The new First Baptist Church of Lafayette announces another day of fellowship to be held this Sunday at Dick Mathis' stationery store, 969 Moraga Road.

Sunday school for all ages will begin at 10 a.m.

"Unwanted" is the title of the sermon Pastor Albert R. Rutledge will deliver at the Morning Worship service at 11 a.m.

Mothers Donate $125 Scholarship To Acalanes High

The Orinda Mothers have announced that a scholarship of $125 has been donated to Acalanes High School for outstanding students in the Arts.

Announcement of the donation was made recently at the club's last meeting of the school year at the home of Mrs. Bruce Anderson, 566 Miner Road.

Elections were also held at the meeting and the following officers were elected for the coming school year:

President, Mrs. A. M. Flint; vice president, Mrs. R. C. Glass; treasurer, Mrs. J. E. Traynor; recording secretary, Mrs. K. D. Detling; corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. D. Romine; program chairman, Mrs. Howard Gardner.

It was also announced that the next High School Country Club dance will be held June 8, with a barbecue at 7 p.m. and poolside dancing from 8 until midnight.

Following the business meeting, Mary Dorr, radio and television personality, gave an intimate account of "what goes on behind the scenes of a television production."

Miss Dorr spoke from several years' experience on her own show in Philadelphia.

Refreshments, served by a committee headed by Mrs. L. O. Mjolsnes, concluded the meeting.

IMPORTANT STEPS

The steps you take when you leave the curb are important ones. Be sure you look in both directions before you take them. Don't rely blindly on the traffic signal—look both ways before you step into the street.

Acalanes Adult Center Tells Summer Schedule

The summer session schedule for classes provided by the Acalanes Adult Center has been tentatively set.

Courses will be offered if sufficient interest in shown in them. A minimum attendance of 15 is required.

The opening date will be June 18. The classes, day, time and place are: Art, Tuesday and Thursday, 7-10 p.m., Acalanes; Driver Training, Tuesday and Thursday, 7:30-9:30 p.m., Acalanes; Orchestra, Tuesday, 7:30-9:30 p.m., Acalanes; Pottery-Ceramics, Tuesday, 7-10 p.m., Acalanes; Sewing, General, Thursday, 7-10 p.m., Acalanes.

Swimming, Beginning and Intermediate, Tuesday and Thursday, 7-9 p.m., L.L. Pool; Typing, Beginning, Intermediate, Advanced, Tuesday, 7:30-9:30 p.m., Acalanes; Upholstery, Tuesday and Thursday, 7-10 p.m., Kustom Studios; Water Safety and Life Saving, Tuesday and Thursday, 7-9 p.m., L.L. Pool; Woodshop, Tuesday, 7-10 p.m., Las Lomas.

Persons interested in seeing these courses offered have been urged to call the Adult Office, AT 3-6262, between 7 and 10 p.m., Monday through Thursday evenings. Other classes will be provided when sufficient interest is shown in them.

Friends Help Celebrate Tot's Fifth Birthday

Gail Wharton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Wharton, celebrated her fifth birthday recently when a host of her friends joined her at her home, 1102 Magnolia Lane, for an ice cream and cake party.

Aiding in the festivities were Terry Hansen, Pamela Graham, Janie Aitchinson, Patty High, Marianne Jacuzzi, Susan Malin, Pat Prentice, Laura Leigh Hawkins, Diana, Denise and Dayna Kimbell, Steven Dear, Phillip Gallagher, David Kaufman and Andy Monheit.

Parents 'Sport Night Presented at Stanley

Stanley School's third annual Sport Night was held last evening.

Featured were boys' and girls' competition in track and field events, as well as competition between the rooting sections of the various rooms.

Students acted as judges at the various track and field events, with parents judging the rooting section awards.

Benefit Shop Will Open Doors Soon

The Bee Hive, a shop handling next to new clothing for the benefit of the Lincoln Home for children, will open its doors Tuesday at 5816 College Avenue, Oakland.

The shop, sponsored by members of Children's Foster Care Services, sells contributed goods, the profits going toward the care and psychiatric treatment of children at the Lincoln Home. The home is one of the oldest Community Chest Agencies.

Open from 1 to 4 p.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, the shop will rely on contributions of clothing, gifts and goods.

Locally, such articles can be left with David F. Cotton, Mason-McDuffie, realtors, at 3725 Mt. Diablo Boulevard, Lafayette.

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Tomatoes	Stewed . . . Del Monte 16-oz. Can	2 for 39¢
Snowflake Crackers	Nabisco 2-lb. Pkg.	49¢
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Meats for Babies	Swift's 3½-oz.	3 for 59¢
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ORINDA SUN

Friday, June 1, 1956

Vote Next Tuesday

You've heard this before — but it's our last chance to remind you, so we're stresing to you:

Primary Election Day is next Tuesday. Important positions will be filled — or candidates will be selected for vital posts, with final decision to follow at the November General Election.

On the ballot are candidates for United States Congress, State Assembly, State Senate and — from the Second Supervisorial District — for the County Board of Supervisors.

If you don't vote Tuesday, you won't have much justification for complaint later.

As we stated last week, you're in the driver's seat — if you vote.

That's the big, all-important "if." Will you exercise your privilege and duty as a citizen next Tuesday?

You Can Directly Help Sufferers!

The world today seems to have so many major problems on an international scale that it's only natural for us to wonder, frequently, whether our diplomats and statesmen are doing a good job.

Also, most of us often wish we could do something which would definitely help improve the world situation, and would aid people less fortunate than ourselves.

Such an opportunity is now ofefred us, through the annual clothing drive sponsored by the American Friends Service Committee. The drive will continue through June 9.

In communities throughout Central Contra Costa County depots have been set up for the receipt of warm, useable clothing for suffering people in Japan, Korea and Europe.

If you want specific information you can't find in the news articles, or if you need to have clothing picked up, just phone YE 4-9010.

Needed especially this year are babies' and children's clothing of all kinds, men's suits and coats, underwear for all ages, women's heavy, warm garments, warm outer clothing (such as sweaters, coats, mittens), and bedding (new and good used).

The American Friends Service Committe points out: **"This is one problem that you personally can solve. Go to your closet and take down one or several articles — warm 'newish' articles — and deliver them to the nearest depot.**

"Do this now and know that for some cold, ill-clad person you have provided new courage and hope as well as comfort."

What They Say . . .

Do We Vote Too Often?

Elections come and elections go—but in some quarters it's felt they come just a bit too often.

The backbone of every democratic system is the ability of every eligible voter to vote . . . and vote intelligently. If, however, too-frequent election days keep the voting public from full participation at the polls—and if the corresponding deluges of issues are responsible for confusion, democracy's potential can never be realized.

In the middle of this banner year for elections, with national and local issues appearing for the people's decision so often at the polls, The Sun wondered whether this situation was beginning to cause voter apathy in this area.

Feeling that the democratic procedure would be to ask the opinion of the people who should know; the voters themselves, we inquired whether elections were left to be too frequent, and whether one consolidated election during the year might draw a better response from the voters.

Mrs. D. R. McIntyre, 1118 Glen Road, Lafayette, agreed that there were times when people miss elections because the elections are too close together.

"But," she offered, "I've been told there are sound reasons why the elections can't be consolidated."

Mrs. McIntyre is a naturalized citizen from England who appreciates her voting privilege, however, and claims that she votes at every election anyway.

"I'd have to give the matter some thought," replied Martin G. Mieger, 10 Sanburn Road, Orinda, who said that the matter hadn't occurred to him.

"I wouldn't want to venture an oponion as yet on a question of that type," he concluded.

Mrs. Andrew Parker, 3972 Upper Happy Valley Road, Lafayette, on the other hand, had very definite view about consolidating elections. It was her opinion that if elections were consolidated there wouldn't be nearly so much confusion regarding the issues.

"So many elections tend to discourage people from voting," she opined.

A view from the other side of the fence came from Murray D. Studley of 4 Irving Court, Orinda. He felt that it is a civic duty for everyone to vote when the issues are at hand.

"That's the best time to solve them," he commented. Studley went on to say that he "can't see where we're having too many elections."

"I don't feel that I am well enough versed with the local situation, but in general, I feel consolidation would often be good. But the question is of broad scope, and there is no simple solution," commented John Shaw of 327 Valley View Road, Pleasant Hill.

Vernon Bys of 343 Strand Avenue, Pleasant Hill, stated, "There are two sides to this thing.

"If a lot of issues come up in one election, some of them though important, may get buried. This would discourage supporters, often from agreeing to consolidated elections."

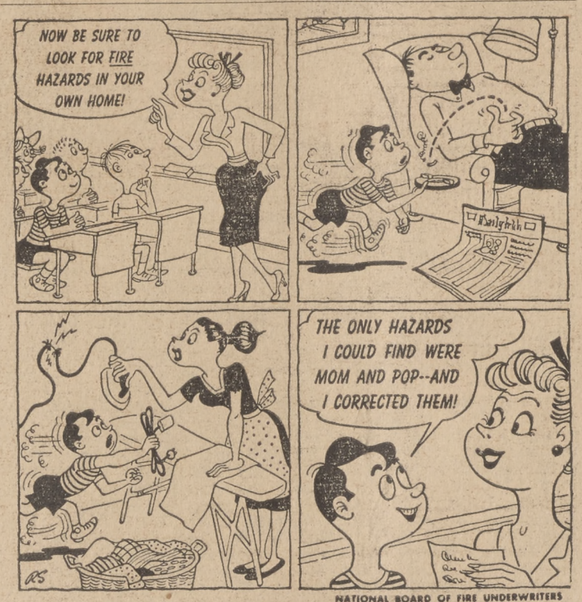
"There are some questions that just won't wait for a consolidated election," declared F. Hal Higgens of 90 Grand View Place, Walnut Creek.

"There probably is a lot of confusion due to the frequency of elections, and in individual cases, consolidation would be the answer, I guess. Consolidation should be considered in each election."

MRS. JOHN WALKER of 33 El Camino Corta, Walnut Creek, suggested that with consolidated elections, there would be some inconvenience for voters in that the polls would be more crowded.

"But, with fewer trips to the polls, there is some compensation.

"But, with a long list of issues to decide, I might be discouraged by the task, rather than grateful that I don't have to make the trip so often," she concluded.



CHECK YOUR HOME FOR FIRE HAZARDS TO-DAY

Small City Buses Suggested for WC

A suggestion that the City of Walnut Creek employ small sized buses with capacities of about 10 persons to accomodate shoppers traveling from and back to suburbs was made this week to the new City Manager Ira Gunn.

The plan was proposed by E. O. Condeff of 1201 Dewing Lane, who said that the city of Birmingham, Mich., uses such small buses with success. The charge there is 25 cents.

Child Poison Cases Bring Safety Drive

Dr. Otis Cobb will supervise a drive in East Contra Costa County to warn parents of the "dangers lurking in the family medicine cabinet, the kitchen and laundry cupboards," it was announced today.

An increase in the accidental poisonings of children in Contra Costa and Alameda Counties is the reason for the drive, to be conducted through both counties, he said.

"Many parents do not realize that common household remedies, cleaning fluids or detergents can be deadly killers in the hands of a curious child," said Cobb, who is chairman of the Child Welfare Committee of the Alameda-Contra Costa County Medical Association.

"In 1953, sixty children died in the United States behause they ate aspirin or one of the aspirin-like products," Dr. Cobb pointed out. "In 1954, this number increased to 80, and in 1955 nearly a hundred children perished in this way."

Tropical Fish Group To Meet Tuesday

Films, election of officers and business will comprise the program of the next regular meeting of the Diablo Tropical Fish Hobbyists in the library of the Oak Park School, Concord, Tuesday at 8 p.m.

Objectives of the club include the promotion and enjoyment and education of all persons interested in tropical fish as a hobby, and promotion of good community relations, such as the donation and care of tropical fish to hospitals, detention homes, etc.. said a spokesman.

Expert on Roses Speaks to Club

A meeting of the Mount Diablo Mens Garden Club was held Monday, according to President Fred Heitman.

John Paul Edwards, noted authority on roses and the rose consultant for Sunset Magazine spoke.

Edwards will discuss "Roses, Their Culture and Care."

There was a discussion of some of the nower types of roses and the possibility of their adaptation to Contra Costa County conditions.

Bosses Honored At Dinner Party

Over a hundred members and guests of the Contra Costa Credit Womens Breakfast Club were present at the western theme dinner party last Tuesday at El Nido restaurant in Lafayette as the ladies feted their bosses.

Songs and skits highlighted the program, which had Lewis Silvera of Silvera Lumber Company as master of ceremonies.

Western songs with guitar accompaniment were provided by LeRoy Silveira of Grodins, Walnut Creek.

Prizes, furnished by Walnut Creek and Concord merchants, were awarded.

Letters to The Editor

CLOTHING ANSWER
Dear Editor:

Commenting on Faith Baldwin's wonderful letter appealing for clothing for needy children, I would like to say that we are fortunate in this community in having such an easy way to answer. By supporting the clothing drive of the American Friends Service committee, here until June 9, we will help the very same children Mrs. Baldwin talks about.

The AFSC and the Save The Children Federation work together in many places. In fact the AFSC has several times in Korea and other places given clothing to the Save The Children Federation for distribution.

If anyone feels that he would like to support the Federation directly he might give the clothing to the local AFSC drive and then send the cash in postage saved to Tennessee to the Federation. Our depots until June 9 are: Lafayette Community Church, Veterans Building, Walnut Creek, and the various elementary schools in Orinda.

GEORGIA BUSCH

SUN SUPPORT
Dear Editor:

On behalf of the Lafayette PTA, please accept my sincere appreciation for the consistently fine publicity your paper has given our unit and school activities.

We realize the value, "PTA-wise," of proper spread of news coverage.

We are indeed grateful to your paper for its share in making our year successful.

In addition, we would like to thank The Sun for its fine support of community activities for youth, support of improvement in text book provisions, and especially the supprt of safety education in the community.

You are to be commended for encouraging moral and spiritual education of our youth by your program supporting the community churches.

We especially thank The Sun for the wonderful support in the recent School Bond campaign.

MRS. ELOISE BIRCH
Lafayette PTA president

UTILITY POLES
Dear Editor:

When I see political ads on utility poles in this county, I always carefully record the names.

The law prohibits use of such facilities for this purpose. If, before he is elected, a man resorts to such illegal acts, I ask myself what will he do should he get into office?

This casts such doubts in my mind that I make it a policy never to vote for such an offender.

A. L. SCOTT

Dear Editor:

With sincere appreciation, and humility, I wish to thank the voters for their support in my election to the Contra Costa County Board of Education for Area No. 7, Acalanes and San Ramon Valley Union High School Districts.

I am grateful for the confidence expressed, and will to the best of my ability, attend to the administrative duties of the office.

sincerely,
LUCILLE MAUZY



Under The Sun

By Herman Silverman

Election predictions by Politicus

Next Tuesday is election day.

This isn't a very dramatic way to begin this column, but the election campaigns, for the most part, have not been dramatic. And yet the election is certainly most important. Some very important posts are at stake — from the presidential primary to the county board of supervisors.

I asked Politicus for his impressions and predictions on the outcome Tuesday. Politicus is The Sun's political analysist, whose identity has never been revealed. Like any political dopester, he is wrong now and then. But after you read his notes, you'll realize he can't be too far wrong this time because he doesn't stick his neck out very far.

Anyway, here is the memo from Politicus:

BALDWIN-QUINNEY CONGRESSIONAL RACE: Sitting in this Republican stronghold makes it difficult to judge this campaign, as many local residents look for an easy Baldwin victory. I thought so, too, until I talked to some pretty smart boys in Richmond and Solano county.

They point out that Contra Costa and Solano counties have overwhelming Democratic registration. Two years ago Condon whipped Baldwin in Solano County and edged into Congress by a relatively small margin from Contra Costa. Democrat Quinney, a popular Vallejo resident, will undoubtedly carry Solano. The dopesters say that Quinney will get all those Contra Costans who voted for Condon — plus thousands of other Democrats who did not. They talk confidently of a Quinney victory in November. And yet it is difficult to beat an incumbent. Each will win his party nomination.

Decision in the primary?

DOYLE-KOCH ASSEMBLY RACE: This is certainly a different story from the Congressional campaign. It is simply a question of whether Incumbent Don Doyle will win on both party ballots next Tuesday. Doyle, of course, has the GOP nomination all wrapped up. And his labor and Democrat support (even among some of the highest county Democrat wheels) is tremendous. It is possible that he will win the Democrat nomination over Russell Koch of Pleasant Hill in the primary.

MILLER-PEDDER STATE SENATE RACE: This is a similar situation to the Assembly race. Question: Will Incumbent Democrat George Miller Jr. win on both tickets in the primary? Miller's strategy obviously is to do this. Remember, he was elected in the primary four years ago.

Miller has some strong GOP support (even among some top Republican leaders). Republican Jack Pedder of Lafayette is campaigning on an issue of party responsibility. The odds are in favor of Miller being elected next Tuesday.

The above two campaigns offer a most interesting sidelight. Democrat Miller and Republican Doyle have teamed up and have been campaigning together at various meetings throughout the county.

And in this corner . . .

STEVENSON-KEFAUVER DEMOCRAT PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY: Four years ago Contra Costa's Democrat party leaders backed Kefauver. In fact, George Miller Jr., who organized the Keef campaign, became state Democratic central committee chairman on this basis and headed the convention delegation. This year Miller is uncommitted.

The countys Demo leaders seem to be split between Adlai and Estes. I'm told, however, that Stevenson has a much stronger organization among rank and file than Kefauver. In our area, Stevenson is by far the favorite, but Richmond may go the other way. I'd say it's a toss up, with Stevenson having a slight edge.

KUCHEL-RICHARDS-YORTY U. S. SENATE RACE: This one is a dilly. Demo Richards has state and county support from party leaders. But State Sentor Richards is not well known. His Demo opponent, Yorty, ran against Knowland two years ago and so his name has been advertised. County Democrat leaders fear that Yorty may ace out Richards here and in the state. They say it depends on whether the party voters read and follow party literature. It's about even in the county now, they say.

Senator Kuchel will, of course, take the GOP nomination. But his Democrat opponent will probably win in the county in November, as did Yorty over Knowland two years ago.

Three supervisorial races

SUPERVISORIAL RACES: In the Pittsburg area, I predict Challenger Sam Conti will defeat Incumbent Bud Buchanan. In the Antioch-Brentwood district, Incumbent Jake Frederickson will be top man in the field of four and probably will go on to win in November.

IN DISTRICT 2 — Crockett, Orinda, Lafayette, parts of Saranap and San Ramon Valley? Boy, this is a tough one and it is anyone's guess. Remember, the candidates themselves voted this way — Wallace, Larmer, Nielsen, Zion, Mutnick, Koller and Comstock. Every poll or group I've seen seems to agree that Clarence Wallace will get one of the two top spots. But then agreement ends. Some say Ed Larmer, others say Mel Nielsen will be in the lucky two. Others say to watch Bill Zion. He may grab it. I just don't say.

Well, that's the Politicus report. If he's like the other dopesters, he'll crow if he is right — but won't say a word if he is wrong.

Don't forget to vote.

General Dean to Talk To UN Group Wednesday

An outstanding program will be presented by the Mt. Diablo Council for the United Nations at a dinner on Wednesday at 7 p.m. at 1543 Sunnyvale Avenue, the Walnut Creek Methodist Church.

Guest speaker is General William F. Dean. General Dean was in charge of the 24th Infantry Division in Korea when the Korean war started.

GENERAL DEAN will present a fitting topic pertaining to present day world affairs.

Rev. Philip Solbjor, program chairman, states there will be special music. The board of directors will be especially recognized at this meeting. Members include Drummond J. McCunn, Contra Costa Junior College; Mrs. A. F. Bray, Martinez; F. A. Marshall, Walnut Creek; Mrs. Elinor C. Allen, Antioch; Mrs. Richard Martyr, Pittsburg; Edward Twomey, St. Mary's College; Mrs. J. H. Brubaker, Walnut Creek; Mrs. Alfred Albietz, Concord and Col. William C. Braley, Orinda.

THE COMMUNITY is invited to attend. Inasmuch as there is a limited seating capacity, it is requested that reservations for dinner be made in advance.

The dinner is $2.50 and reservations can be made with Mrs. Marie Maser, YE 4-4742, Mrs. Fred Karlsrud, YE 4-3946 an dthe Greyhound Depot, YE 4-2281.

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Warren Everson To Wed Sunday In Klamath Falls

Wedding bells sounding from Klamath Falls, Ore., will culminate the engagement of Lafayette man Warren Everson to Georgia Clark of Klamath Falls.

Everson, the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Everson, 1133 Thomson Road, met his bride-to-be when she was a coed at San Jose State College and he a student.

He graduated as a business administration major last February. Miss Clark will graduate this month as a teacher, having served as president of the Alpha Phi sorority at the college.

The entire Everson family will travel to Klamath Fall to attend the nuptials. Warren's sister Jan will serve as a bridesmaid.

Party Planned For Lombardy

Invitations were mailed this week by members of the Lombardy Branch, Children's Hospital of the East Bay, inviting friends to the fourth annual Outdoor Party, to be held Saturday, June 16, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nels A. Hamberg, 10 Katrina Court, Orinda.

The out-of-door festivities will last from 5 to 7 p.m.

Mrs. Rudy Rasmussen is general chairman of the affair, assisted by Mesdames Dan Carter, Larry Collins, Richard Kendall, Arthur Lundblad and William Young.



CRESTVIEW SENIORS of Pleasant Hill purchased a television set for the Juvenile Hall in Martinez Saturday. The set was turned over to the Hall on Monday. From left to right Mrs. T. J. Lynch, treasurer; Mrs. N. J. Mulone, president; Mrs. John Baldwin, corresponding secretary. The set was purchased at cost from Chel's Appliances in Pleasant Hill.

—Sun photo by Jim Gates

Shell Pin Awarded

John J. Madison, 42 Van Ripper Lane, recently was awarded his 10 year service emblem at Shell Development Company. Madison is a chemist, working at the company's Emeryville Research Center.

SMOKE IN SAFE PLACES

"No Smoking" areas in the home include beds, closets, attics and the work bench when shavings are around or flammable liquids are being used.

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Fiancee Feted At Luncheon

Mrs. Thomas W. Scott of Reliez Valley Road, Lafayette, gave a luncheon last Saturday, in the Colonial Room of the Hotel Claremont, honoring her son's fiancee, Miss Dorothy Arneman.

Miss Arneman and John W. Greenlaw plan to be married July 7 in Fresno. The bride-elect is a teacher in the Sunnyvale Elementary School in San Mateo. She was graduated from Fresno State College and was president of Delta Kappa Sorority, now the FSC chapter of Kappa Kappa Gamma Sorority.

She was secretary of the Orchesis Dance Club and the junior class, a member of the San Mateo Branch of the American Assiciation of University Women, and was listed in Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges.

Miss Arneman is the daughter of Mrs. Mabel Arneman and the late E. J. Arneman.

Greenlaw's parents are Mrs. Scott and Dr. Wallace W. Greenlaw of Orinda. He is an ensign in the naval reserve, and is attending the School of Dentistry of the College of Physicians and Surgeons in San Francisco. He attended San Jose State College, and is a member of Delta Sigma Fraternity.

Among the guests present at the Claremont luncheon were; Mrs. Mabel Arneman, Mrs. Edward Dart, Mrs. Charles Stevenson, Mrs. Edwin Bullard, Mrs. Lorenzo Buckley, Mrs. Maude Machen, Mrs. Carl Merner, Mrs. Paul Stegman, Mrs. Sprignel Wiley Jr., Mrs. Edward Rotticci, Mrs. Fred Sommers, Mrs. Eugene Kinney, Mrs. Wallace Greenlaw, and Misses Diane Gregg, Virginia Webber, Barbara Shankey, Frances Murphy, Nancy iHgh, and Miss Gene Pikop.

Big Weekend Due for Local at Notre Dame

John L. Henderson Jr., 3344 Rowland Drive, will receive a Bachelor of Science degree in Engineering at the University of Notre Dame's 111th annual commencement Sunday, one day after he receives his commission as a Second Lieutenant in the United States Army Reserve.

Following the swearing-in and graduation ceremonies this weekend, Henderson will prepare to travel to Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Maryland, where he will train in an ordinance school.

Mt. Diablo PTA Holds Lunch; Installs Officers

The annual reciprocity luncheon of the Mt. Diablo Council of Parents and Teachers was held May 14, at the Diablo Country Club.

Hostesses were Mrs. Paul Shipley from Charlotte Wood PTA, Mrs. Phililp Greer of Green Valley PTA, Mrs. William Giddings of Danville Grammar School PTA, and Mrs. T. P. Lake, San Ramon Valley High Schol PTA.

Mrs. Robert Adams, outgoing Council president, welcomed the group and introduced Brownie Troop 121 from Green Valley School who lead the Pledge of Allegiance.

THE REV. James Upshaw of the Walnut Creek Presbyterian Church gave the invocation.

Mrs. Hal Bates of Concord introduced Mr. B. O. Wilson, county superintendent of schools, and the attending district school superintendents as follows: Mr. Ivan Chappell, Danville Union Schools; W. B. Ellis, Lafayette Elementary Schools; James W. Dent, Mt. Diablo Unified; Sheldon Rankin, Walnut Creek Elementary; Dr. Drummond McCunn, Contra Costa Junior College; Willard B. Knowles, Martinez schools; Dr. Roger J. Schulte, San Ramon Valley Union High School; Mr. L. B. Sarasin, Vine Hill.

Mr. John Moiso, chairman for juvenile protection committee was also recognized for his fine work this year.

Mrs. Giddings introduced Mrs. Doris Reese who directed the "Gay Notes" of San Ramon Valley High School in several selections.

This quartette is composed of Chuck Carle, Joel Evans, Bob Jurvis and Gary Matteson.

Students from the Danville Grammar School, directed by Mr. Tom Lawrence, presented excerpts from "Alice in Wonderland." Participating were Kathy Blake, William Warren, Caren Harris, Joe Butler, Ronnie Mullin and John Huenink.

Mrs. Adams introduced the unit presidents who in turn introduced their school principals and unit members in attendance.

MRS. LAWRENCE Green of Walnut Creek installed the elected council officers for 1956-57 who are as follows: President. Mrs. T. H. Hazlett of Walnut Creek; First Vice-President, Mrs. Hal Bates of Concord; Second Vice-President, Mrs. Robert Fairfield of Walnut Creek; Third Vice-President, Mrs. Dwight Birch of Lafayette; Fourth Vice-President, Mrs. Paul Shipley of Danville; Fifth Vice-President, Mrs. W. W. Thompson of Concord.

Recording Secretary, Mrs. Fred Bodwell of Martinez; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Allan Fuller of Walnut Creek; Financial Secretary, Mrs. Warren Ronneberg of Walnut Creek; Treasurer, Mrs. Charles Cump of Lafayette; Auditor, William Vanason, principal of Fair Oaks School, Pleasant Hill; Historian, Mrs. Warren Clark of Concord; Parliamentarian, John Moiso, consultant in instruction in the secondary schools of Mt. Diablo Unified School District.



HONORED QUEEN ELECT of Jobs Daughters Bethel 238 is Diane Dewey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Dewey, 409 Beatrice Road. Diane will be installed as honored queen at ceremonies at the Walnut Creek Masonic Temple June 9.

— Sun photo by Jim Gates

Drexel Named For New Post

Karl O. Drexel, East Contra Costa Junior College dean of student personnel, will take over the duties of Coast Conference Commissioner, starting July 1.

He was elected unanimously for an indeterminate term after being nominated by Paul "Dutch" Clymer, College of Marin, to be his successor. Clymer has been Commissioner since 1950. The election took place at the Monterey semi-annual Conference meeting.

As Commissioner, Drexel will supervise the registration of athletes, handle eligibility matters, Conference finances, and administer the selection of All-Conference athletes.

Orinda Scientist Addresses Society

Shell Development Company scientist C. H. Deal, 85 El Gavilan, addressed members of the A.S.S., I.S.A., Socety of American Bacteriologists, American Association Clinical Chemists and the Society for Experimental Biology and Medicine at a Symposium on Recent Developments in Research Methods and Instrumentation in Bethseda, Maryland.

The symposium was held in conjunction with the Sixth Annual Research Equipment Exhibit at the National Institutes of Health.

Deal spoke to the section on Vapor-Phase Chromatography and described the operation of gas-liquid partition chromatography.

Music Group Will Give Spring Recital

Two Spring Recitals will be held June 9 at 2 and 4 p.m. by pupils of Clara King Floyd at her Kinney Drive home. The following students will be playing:

Patty and Dianne Burror, Elizabeth and Linda Axelson, Roberta and Nancy Betaque, Linda Johnson, Kenneth Floyd a pupil of Frederick Freeman, Patricia Wilder, pianists, and Robbie Adams and Vincent Cattolica, violinists, accompanied by Patricia Wilder.

Emry Allen, Patty Low, Mary Gill, Claire and John Gustafson, Benny Augir, Suzanne Carter, Carol Reibin, Kenny Broatch and Chester Floyd, oboist, will also play.

At the end of the recitals music theory certificates and certificates of merit from the Music Teachers' Association of California for consistent, conscientious effort during the year, will be awarded.

Home from Far East

Robert J. Halter, fireman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carmelo Avola, 1620 Litina Drive, is scheduled to return to San Francisco tomorrow aboard the Pacific Fleet general stores issue ship USS League Island which is completing five years in the Far East.



PANDORA CHAPTER of the Children's Home Society will sponsor a house tour of five Orinda homes next Friday, for the benefit of the Children's Home Society. Gathered on the patio of the Ridgley Greathouse home at 50 Acacia Drive, one of the homes to be visited, are, left to right, Mrs. Roy Beckett, whose home at 46 Hacienda Circle will also be visited; Mrs. Robert Hendrickson, general chairman of the tour; Mrs. John Sullivan, ticket chairman; Mrs. Greathouse, and Mrs. Rees Paine, refreshments chairman. The tour will be from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Other homes to be visited are those of Mr. and Mrs. Alberto H. de Grassi, 9 Brookbank Road; Mrs. Magnolia Haws, 204 Manzanita Drive, and the Harold Ohleyers, 12 Hacienda Circle. —Sun photo by Mattson

Dickinson-Doan To Be Married

Miss Patricia Jean Dickinson of Pleasant Hill and Jack Doan of Chandler, Arizona, have set June 22 as their wedding date. They will be married at a double ring ceremony at 7 p.m. at the Walnut Creek Methodist Church, 1543 Sunnyvale Avenue, Pleasant Hill, with the Reverend Philip A. Solbjor officiating.

The bride-elect will wear a white embroidered organdy ballerina length dress, and her shoulder length veil will be held in place with a small cap trimmed with nylon bows, and will be given in marriage by her father.

Maid of honor will be the bride-elect's cousin, Miss Joyce Lindeblad, of Eureka, who will wear a pink faille dress and pink lace hat trimmed with pearls.

Best man will be the future benedict's brother, Robert Doan of Los Angeles.

Following the wedding ceremony, the young couple will go on an undisclosed honeymoon trip. A reception will be held in the social hall of the church for the more than 100 expected guests, and they plan to have a four tiered wedding cake with the traditional bride and groom figures trimmed with rosebuds.

On Thursday, June 21, the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Dickinson, 348 Gloria Drive, Pleasant Hill, will entertain at the home of the bridegroom-elect's family at a garden party. Guests will include Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Doan and sons James and Dal, of Chandler, Arizona; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Doan and three children of Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lindeblad and Joyce of Eureka, California.

A native of Ogden, Utah, Patricia, her parents, and her brother, Kenneth, a kindergarten student at Strandwood School, moved to Pleasant Hill five years ago.

A June, 1955 Pleasant Hill High School graduate, Patricia was a member of the California Scholarship Federation honor society, and is attending East Contra Costa Junior College where she is taking a secretarial course.

Her fiance is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Doan of Chandler, and is also attending East Contra Costa Junior College where he is majoring in physics.

Their engagement was announced early in February at a family dinner at the bride-elect's parent's home.

Mrs. Shirley Oldershaw and her daughter Janice of Humphrey Drive, Concord, entertained at a miscellaneous shower in the bride-elect's honor recently.

Guests included Misses Pat Ford, Bobbie Halstead, Diane Adams, Dorine Angella, Darryl Beougher, Ida McCaffrey, Ernestine Coffey, Armotta Firestone, Jo Spencer and the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. Verna Dickinson.

Mrs. Starrett Is Leader of Suburbanettes

Mrs. Louise Starrett is president of the Walnut Creek Suburbanettes, formed in February, and having about 30 members.

Other officers are Vice President Mrs. A. C. Worth, Treasurer Mrs. Weston Irish, Philanthropy Committee Chairman Mrs. Ike Stevens, Hobby Group Leader Mrs. A. Hans Elgert.

Membership Chairman Mrs. R. O. Nelson, Publicity Chairman Mrs. Gene Hutchings, Transportation Chairman Mrs. Reginald M. DeNio.

Sewing Club Plans Meeting

The Castle Hill Sewing Club will meet Tuesday noon at the home of Mrs. Carol Diggle, 2420 Tice Valley Boulevard, Walnut Creek.

Mrs. Cooley, secretary, said the members will bring needles, scissors and thimbles.

Cundiff Elected

Winston H. Cundiff of La Encinal, has been elected a member of the American Institute of Mining, Metallurgical and Petroleum Engineers.

Cal Humor Mag Picks Orinda Fashion Ed

Lorella Standley, a 20-year-old sophomore at the University of California, was recently appointed fashion director of the Pelican, the campus humor magazine.

Lorella, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Standley of 444 Moraga Highway, will take over her new job next fall.

Announcement of the appointment was made at the Pelican's Spring banquet which was held at the Bermula Palms Hotel in San Rafael. A dental hygiene major, Lorella is a graduate of Berkeley High School.

Orind Cal Student Becomes Manager

Sheldon Carrill, 18, of Orinda, has been appointed to serve as circulation manager for the California Engnieer, the campus engineering magazine at the University of California.

Carroll, who will be a sophomore at the University next fall, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Carroll of 6 Lost Valley Drive.

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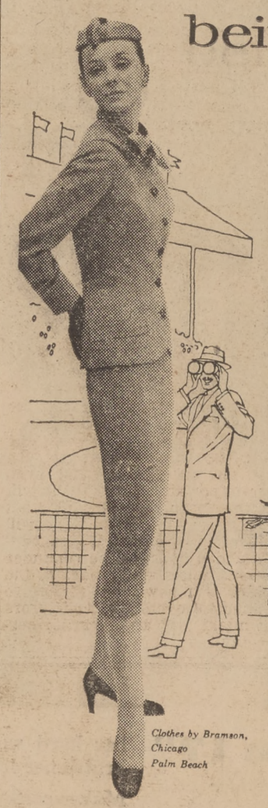
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Sun Society



"DIRTY WORK AT THE CROSSROADS" was the theme of the gala kick off for the Diablo Junior Museum Fund Raising Campaign Saturday evening at Holy Ghost Hall in Walnut Creek. Making sure all whistles were kept wet were William F. Anderson Jr., Alex D. Lindsey, Harmon Howard and Dr. Owen Williams.



DEAR OL' NELLIE Lovelace, tempted, tried and true, never had such good friends as John Nejedly, Mrs. Carl Noeker, Dr. Drummond McCunn, Mrs. Owen Williams and Ed Barnett during the Diablo Junior Museum Show, "Dirty Work at the Crossroads." Olio acts and a buffet supper rounded out the evening's activities. —Sun photos by Ted Gurney

Fleager Nuptials Tomorrow

Nuptial vows tomorrow night will join Miss Ann Fleager of Orinda and Smith Chesley Anderson Jr. of Alameda at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church in Orinda. The ceremony will be followed by a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Maynard, the bride-elect's parents, on El Sueno Road, Orinda. More than 300 guests have been invited.

The wedding is the culmination of the couple's engagement which was announced last January.

Attending Ann as maid of honor will be her younger sister Miss Sally Fleager, a Kappa Kappa Gamma at San Jose State College. Bridesmaids will include Mrs. Ford Howe Jr., Miss Henderson and the Misses Judy and Susan Anderson, sisters of the bridegroom.

The benedict's brother-in-law, Edwin Lowell Garthwaite Jr., will attend him as best man.

Ushers will include Thomas Morrish of Orinda, Warren Musser of New York, Reginald Dougherty of Alameda and David Walkly of the University of California.

Ann is the granddaughter of Mrs. Clarence E. Fleager of Oakland, while the prospective groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Chesley Anderson.

A rehearsal dinner for the wedding will be held tonight at the Piedmont home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevenson.

Showers and parties were plentiful for the couple following their engagement announcement.

Louann Pearson Reveals August Wedding Plans

"Plans for an August 11 marriage to Albert Evans Jr. were revealed recently by Louann Pearson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Pearson, 3315 Beewood Drive, Lafayette, to her Kappa Alpha Theta sorority sisters.

The bride elect is a graduate of Acalanes High School and attended the University of Oregon.

She met the benedict at the university, where he is now a senior. Evans is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Evans of Rolling Hills ranch in Clayton.

The wedding is planned for the First Congregational Church, Oakland, with Dr. Clarence Ridenbaugh officiating.



ANNA HEAD SCHOOL graduating seniors will be honored Thursday at a luncheon at Orinda Country Club ,to be given by alumna of the school. Discussing plans for the event are some of the alumnae from this area — Mrs. Standish Massie of Orinda (standing), Mrs. Haywood Gathings of Orinda (seated at left), Mrs. John Sexson of Lafayette (seated next to Mrs. Massie), ivce-president-elect of the Anna Head School Alumnae Association, and Mrs. Calvin Duncan of Orinda, president-elect of the alumnae association. —Sun photo by Mattson

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Generally, when a wedding comes around the brides gets all the attention, and it is probable that this fine old tradition will continue.

However, something has been done about the sad plight of the groom which will be of interest to young unmarried men in the area.

Esquire Magazine recently published a handsome "Guide for the Bridegroom" which gives him his rightful due. Iit is devoted exclusively to the functions and duties of the bridegroom-to-be and covers every phase of wedding preparation from obtaining the license to suggestions for where to go and what to wear on the honeymoon . . . and it's available without charge at Grodins in Broadway Shopping Center, Walnut Creek.

"We'd be the first to admit that it is the bride's family which makes the greatest financial contribution, but the groom, too, must make something of a dent in his bankroll in preparation for the great event," said Grodins.

"With the assistance of the Guide, he will at least get the most for his money, and even more important than that, he will get the psychological lift that comes from knowing that he will perform his role with assurance."

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Surprise Party Given to Fete 25th Anniversary

A surprise party honoring Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Henderson on their 25th wedding anniversary Sunday, was arranged by Mr. and Mrs. Lars Andrews at their home at 61 Rudgear Drive, Walnut Creek, with more than 30 guests attending.

The four generations who live together at the Rudgear Drive address attended the surprise party. They are, Mrs. Addie Simmons, maternal grandmother; the Elvis Hendersons; Mrs. Lars Andrews, the Henderson daughter; and her two children, Edward and Lorraine Andrews.

The Hendersons were married May 1931 in Martinez. While they are both natives of Missouri, they have lived most of their lives in the Bay Area, and have been living for the past five years in Walnut Creek.

The family presented them with a wagon wheel chandelier for the living room, in addition to other gifts.

Also present at the party were a son, Edgar Henderson and family of Walnut Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Reed, John, Wesley and Anne of Alameda; Mr. and Mrs. Ted Dill of Oakland; Mr. and Mrs. M. DeGenaro, Ralph and Linda, of Berkeley; Oliver Simmons of San Leandro; Mr. and Mrs. Owen Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Conine Bear, Stanley and Susan, and Mr. and Mrs. John McIntosh, all of Walnut Creek.

Sorensen Home Is Setting for Linnet Unit

A meeting of the Linnet Unit, Mt. Diablo Therapy Center, was held at the home of Mrs. T. H. Sorensen, Crest Road on Mondav.

Mrs. Chester Hook and Mrs. E. Holman were co-hostesses for the luncheon and social hour following the business session.

The Linnet Auxilary operates a Thrift Shop which benefits the Mount Diablo Therapy Center. Immediately after lunch members of the marking committee hurried down town to the Shop to prepare the shelves for business later in the week.

Mrs. John Clark, merchandise manager, reports that a large supply of blouses will be offered today and tomorrow. Also there will be an abundance of baby clothes fresh from the stock room.

With some swimming weather close at hand surely, a fine supply of bathing suits will be made available, she said. This will be good news to the many customers who have been requesting such apparel for the past few weeks.

The Therapy Thrift Shop, 1547 East Street, is open three days every week.

Today will bring Mrs. Allen Morse, Mrs. M. C. Bolender and Mrs. Frederic Confer to the Shop for clerking chores, and tomorrow Junior Linnet Auxiliary members Mesdames James Kaufman, Wm. Kinney and Robert Kirbey will donate their services.

Concours d'Elegance Draws Huge Crowd to Diablo Club

The third annual Concours d' Elegance sponsored by the members of the Sports Cars Unlimited for the Children's Hospital of the East Bay drew well over 4000 persons Sunday at the Diablo Country Club.

One hundred unique and unusual cars from Europe and the United States in addition to horse and buggy type models were on display at the club.

A fashion show was added to the many festivities with each model presenting the driver of "her" car with a blue ribbon. Models were from the hospital's auxiliary branches.

Special award was presented to Warren G. Epstein of Saratoga. His Mercedes Benz was named the best in the popularity vote by spectators at the gala affair.

Frank H. Rhodes, president of the sports car association, spoke following a dinner party at the Country Club.

A plaque of special merit was given to Buck Bertillion, chairman of the event by Mrs. William Oliver, general chairman of the Hospital of the East Bay's many branches.

Friends Honor Mardi Probert

Miss Margaret Jean (Mardi) Probert of Grayson Road, was honored by her bridesmaids Saturday afternoon with Miss Carol Agajon of Estate Drive in Lafayette as hostess.

The bridesmaids' tea was in the "May Day" theme, with pastel decorations and spring flowers decorating the Agajon home. In addition to Miss Agaijon, co-hostesses were Miss Phyllis Williams of Oakland, and the bride-elect's sister, Miss Helen Teresa (Terry) Probert, who will be maid of honor, at a June wedding.

Guests included Misses Marilyn Oldam, Janie Pollus, Ellen Johnson, Darryl Brodrick, Meade Ann Millisich, Gloria Zanomi, Nelle McGraw, Sarah Kevorkian, and Ruth Atkinson of Berkeley; Mrs. Alwyn Probert, the bride-elect's mother; Mrs. Lillian McGaw, Mrs. Lillian Morgan, Mrs. Rose Agajon, and Mrs. Jean Peters.

Mardi Probert and David Francis Snoeberger, now making his home in Concord, will exchange their wedding vows June 20, at an afternoon ceremony, at the Trinity Methodist Church in Berkeley. Reverend F. Marion Smith will officiate at the double ring service.

The bride-elect will be given in marriage by her father, Alwyn Probert of Pleasant Hill and Dr. Arthur Morgan of Berekley will serve as best man.

A graduate of Acalanes High School, Miss Probert attended Anna Head in Berkeley, majored in art at the College of the Pacific, and is employed in a Berkeley bank.

The benedict-elect, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Robert Snoeberger of Everett, Washington, has a B.S. from Washington State University, Master of Science from the University of California; did post graduate work in Zurich, Switzerland, and is affiliated with the Radiation Laboratory in Livermore. He is a member of the Pi Kappa Thi, Tau Beta Phi and Alpha Chi Sigma fraternities.

Following an undisclosed honeymoon trip, the young couple will make their home in Concord.

Orinda Garden Club Will Hear Harold Bryant

Setting for the Orinda Garden Club's final meeting of the 1955-56 year Thursday will be the glade at the home of Mrs. Kendric Morrish.

Dr. Harold Bryant, former director of Grand Canyon National Park, will talk on birds, according to Mrs. Thomas Barorws, program chairman.

The meeting will be the last to be conducted by Mrs. Joseph Conley as president. The nominating committee will report the slate of officers for next year.

Mrs. Roger Stark, hospitality chairman, will serve a luncheon after the meeting.

Reservations chairmen are Mrs. Donald Dullum and Mrs. Harold S. Doane.

Local Couple Honored on 25th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Henderson were honored at their 61 Rudgear Drive, home last Sunday, marking their 25th wedding anniversary.

Arrangements were made by Mrs. Lars Andrews and family.

The couple was wed in Martinez but the Hendersons were born in Missouri . They have spent most of their lives in the Bay Area.

Present were Mrs. Henderson's mother, Mrs. Addie Simmons, Mrs. Andrews and her brother, Edgar Henderson and his children.

Mrs. Peterson Is New Head Of Alamo Club

Mrs. George Peterson will be installed as president of the Alamo Mothers Club Wednesday at the Gordon Ball estate, it was announced.

During a tea, other officers will also be inducted. They are Vice President Mrs. Robert Gibble, Secretary Mrs. Blaine Dixon, and Treasurer Mrs. Robert Armstrong.

Guest entertainer will be Mrs. W. R. Cook. Tea Committee members are Mrs. Jack Chapman, chairman, and Mesdames Virgil Williams, Ben Dykes, Richard Smith, R. W. Morgan, Joseph Van Der Haeghen and Jack Sheriff.

Officers Seated At Sigma Kappa Alumnae Meet

The Lafayette home of Mrs. Robert Costa was the setting for the installation meeting of the 1956-57 Council of Officers of the Bay City Alumnae of Sigma Kappa.

Officers installed were Mrs. Ralph H. Miller of Berkeley, president; Mrs. Robert Maynard of Orinda, vice president; Mrs. Phillip Bowman of Berkeley, secretary; Mrs. Albert Sebert, Lafayette, triangle correspondent; Miss Margaret Wilson, Oakland, treasurer; Mrs. Robert Costa and Mrs. James Casten, corresponding secretaries; Mrs. Gustav Noack, Lafayette, publicity; Miss Elda Eggert, Concord, philanthropy; Mrs. William Prucha and Mrs. Walter Kolasa, Berkeley panhellenic delegates.

Mrs. George Inskip, past president, will serve on the board in an advisory capacity.

Discussion was held on plans for alumnae and college delegates to attend the 57th National Convention of Sigma Kappa Sorority which will be held June 26-July 1 at Glenwood Springs, Colorado

Over 500 Sigma Kappa delegates from Canada and all parts of the United States will meet at the famous spa to honor Sigma Kappa's 82nd year.

Linnets Employ Oriental Flower Designs at Meet

The Linnet Jr. Branch of the Mt. Diablo Therapy Center,held its monthly meeting, a flower arrangement Tea March 23 at the home of President Mrs. David Wilson.

Arranged by Mrs. Theron Prentiss and Mrs. Jack Heinz, flowers were done in an oriental theme, using white clematis on a coffee table brought from Japan by Mrs. Heinz. A sahki set completed the effect.

The group discussed Christmas Gift Box items which the unit will make. Work will start on these next month.

The meeting was adjourned by Mrs. Wilson, and coffee and cake were served.

Year Ends for Tanagers With Luncheon, Meet

Tanager members are rolling up a busy year of fund raising activities with their Annual Bridge Luncheon next Tuesday.

According to Mrs. Cecil Cantrill, chairman of the event, all tickets have been sold. Ways and Means chairman Mrs. George Eberhart, has had the following committee working to make the luncheon a success:

Mesdames Zach Montgomery, reservations; J. P. Marvin and Harold Hartsough, prizes; Elbert Wayne, food.

Members who have offered their homes for the affair are the Mesdames Robert Bettencourt, Robert Boyle, John Del Dulk, George Eberhart, L. G. Husar, Donald Krotz, Richard Leland, James Seaman, S. Dwight Skaggs and Frank Walker.

The final meeting of the year will be held on June 20 at the home of vice president Mrs. Stanley Majka. She will be assitsed by the Mesdames Andrew Catherall, Wesley Smith, Harold Caldwell and Paul J. Stafford.

The regular board meeting will be held on June 19 at the home of President Mrs. Frank Juchter.

Gay Gowns Head Nursery Dance Modes

More than 500 Orinda Nursery School supporters congregated at the Diablo Country Club last Saturday night to mark the termination of another successful year for the non-profit, cooperative school, now in its 15th year of operation.

The event, the school's annual dance, met the challenge of chilly winds outside with an air of informal hospitality in the club.

Summer cottons were the mode for the ladies, and the guest of honor, Mrs. Stuart Henderson, chose for the occasion a dark print trimmed in white pique. Mrs. Renn Wilson and Mrs. Roger Olson were also outstanding in white.

Festive sequin-studded cotton prints were worn by Mrs. Robert Angell and Mrs. William Spackman of Orinda.

Also eye-catching on the dance floor were Mrs. W. E. Estes, nursery school president, in a cool rose-toned chiffon, and Mrs. Ned de Laveaga, president-elect, who wore a tan and white cotton print.

Dance chairman Mrs. Fenn Wilson was assisted in making arrangements for this event by Mesdames Clinton DeWitt, Daryl Mitton, Paul Fanning, Robert Brorsen, Roger Olson and Thomas Cullen.

Nursery school director Mrs. William Patterson recently returned from Pacific Palisades where she represented the school at the annual State conference of the Association for Nursery School Education.

Last Cotillion is Tomorrow Night

The last Diablo Cotillion of the season will be held tomorrow night at the Diablo County Club, according to Clifton M. Dahlgren, president.

About 200 couples will attend a social hour at 7:30 p.m., and dancing will begin at 9. A musical trio will be heard during the social hour, and an orchestra for dancing.

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Nielsen Drive Slogan Given: 'Depend on Mel'

The slogan "Depend on Mel to do it well," from supporters of Mel Nielsen, candidate for supervisor of District 2. was reported this week by Nielsen headquarters, 3557 Mt. Diablo Boulevard, Lafayette.

"Nielsen is not made to order by any business or citizens' pressure group," a press release from his headquarters stated. "He is self-made. He is made of common sense which makes him listen first, weigh carefully and then act.

"Mel Nielsen is a man with practical experience and background. He has lived in the county for 18 years, in Lafayette for 10 years. He has built his business to a point where he can give full time to the supervisor's office."

At a recent meeting in Lafayette, Nielsen said:

"All candidates now support expert planning, completion of the master plan, additional recreation centers and parks, improved highways, roads and bridges, streamlined county government. I am flattered the other candidates have copied my platform, but the object is to carry it out.

"Carrying out a program is my specialty. I was first to run for the office of superivsor, first to challenge the incumbent, first to file nomination papers, first to publish my platform, first to send out a questionnaire to the voters. During the campaign I have continued to serve as Lafayette fire commissioner. I have been chairman of a recent benefit show for the Lafayette Community Center. I have continued to be active in Rotary Club and Boy Scout work.

"One example of carrying out a program involves the charter form of government. I want all of the facts on this issue presented to the voters. But I don't want to wait for that before improvements are made. Consolidation and administrative streamlining can make immediate economies in government."

Mrs. William Dorsey of Lafayette, coordinator of the Women's Committee for Nielsen, stated that "interest and availability" characterize Nielsen's campaign

"He intends to have a full-time office as supervisor in the central part of the district," she said.

'Planning Not an End'

"The word 'planning" has been kicked around so much that some people think it is an end in itself, rather than a valuable tool to help us with our growing pains," William R. Zion, candidate for supervisor, stated this week.

"During the present rapid growth of our district several problems are apparent, including protection of existing areas, coordination of local govermental services, anticipation of future public and school needs, and guidance of development generally along lines that will result in sound and attractive communities as time goes by.

"In all of these, county planning services can assist us much more than they have in the past," Zion declared.

"But first our board of supervisors must act to improve the planning services now provided, and second, the board itself must use these improved services in making its own decisions. The $172,000 we are already spending on county planning is enough to buy what we need. Other counties have done so with less," the candidate pointed out.

"Therefore I have urged the reorganization of the department and of the planning commission. I know there is a county-wide demand for both. Though this will be no cure-all, it should mean better local master plans, firmer zoning, stronger subdivision control, increased intergovernmental cooperation, and a greater degree of public information and participation," Zion concluded.

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"THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT" is the slogan of a drive by hundreds of Contra Costa County women volunteers seeking financial contributions to the Republican Party. Every contributor will receive by mail a postcard-size picture of President and Mrs. Eisenhower. "Signing up" are some of the leaders of the drive — left to right, Mrs. Harry Leighton of Orinda, Mrs. Thomas N. Barrows of Orinda, co-chairman of the county drive; Mrs. Bruce Howard of Orinda, Mrs. Robert James of Pleasant Hill and Mrs. Orville Sammann of Lafayette. —Sun photo by Mattson

New Committee Asks Reelection Of George Miller

A Bi-partisan Committee for the Re-election of State Senator George Miller Jr., consisting of Republicans and Democrats, has been formed in Central Contra Costa County. it was announced yesterday.

Republican members of the committee include E. S. Heckathorn, industrialist, Guy B. Chatterton and Carlisle Lane, all of Orinda; Kenneth Fisher, printing executive, and Dr. Lyall Bishop, dentist, both of Walnut Creek, and Grant Burton of Concord; F. L. Confer, architect, of Pleasant Hill: J. Thaddeus Cline, attorney, of Danville and Reese Hays of Alamo.

Democratic members of the committee include Mrs. Leonard Roth and Mrs. Grace Hanks, housewives of Orinda; Dr. E. L. Ballachey, professor at the University of California, and Richard Alpen and Richard P. Graves, of Lafayette: Walter Hambleton and Thomas Kendall, school teachers and administrators of Walnut Creek and Mrs. Charles Lucius of Canyon.

The committee stated:

"The people of Contra Costa County have a big investment in George Miller Jr. which should not be discarded for partisan purposes. We have a senator with eight years' seniority and the high regard of his colleagues in both parties. He has secured the passage of innumerable bills of major importance to Central Contra Costa County, and every one of Miller's bills which has been passed by the Legislature has been supported by the two Republican governors under whom Miller has served.

"State Senator George Miller Jr. has earned, and deserves, the nomination of both parties in this June 5 election, as he earned and received both nominations in 1948 and again in 1952."

The committee announced that Senator Miller has received the support of non-partisan organizations throughout the state, including the endorsement of the Allied Health Professions, and the commendation of the California Teachers Association for his "significant contribution to the advancement of public education in California as senior member of the Senate Committee on Education."

Tax Inequality Charged by Koch

"California has one of the worst tax system in the nation," Russell Koch, Pleasant Hill attorney and Democratic candidate for the Assembly from the 10th District, stated recently.

"For years now the tax burden upon the consumer and low and middle income groups has been increasing steadily. The sales tax, gasoline tax and other hidden consumer taxes now constitute the major portion of our revenue. In the last session of the State Legislature every new revenue producing measure was aimed at the average working family," Koch said.

"We all realize the need for revenue to run our State and give us the services we need. None of us objects to paying our fair share. But lobbies of the large corporations, the insurance lobby and other special interest pressure groups are constantly at work in Sacramento to prevent an honest study of our entire tax structure.

"The present Assemblyman from our district was formerly a lobbyist for the insuranc companies, and with such a background I doubt if he will attempt to do or say more about this vital problem in the future than he has done in the past, which is precisely nothing," he charged.

"Our District needs an assemblyman in Sacramento who is not afraid to press for a realistic, honest study of our basic tax structure," concluded Koch.

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Pamphlets Urge Quinney Election

Registered Democratic voters of Contra Costa this week received mail pamphlets urging the election of congressional candidate Dr. H. R. "Bob" Quinney.

The pamphlet lists, in Dr. Quinney's words, his stands on foreign relations, labor, civil rights and domestic policy.

Coinciding with issuance of the pamphlets, Chairman James P. Kenny of the Contra Costa County Democratic Central Committee, attacked the validity of "Democrats for Baldwin" committees.

"Again we see, as we have seen in Baldwin's two previous campaigns, the formation of a rash of little committees that carry the title of Democrats for Baldwin," Kenny said.

And in most cases we find the same Democrats' names on the rosters as we have seen in the previous campaigns, still engaged in the same deception and leaving me with the suspicion that Baldwin is somewhat ashamed of his party identity.

"Those Democrats who feel compelled to support the Republican congressman in his bid for reelection ould do well to change their party registration.

"There is no question that the contest between Dr. Bob Quinney, the endorsed Democrat for Congress, and Baldwin can be substantially considered one of basic party philosophies—the liberal Democratic versus the conservative Republican."

Democrat Named Baldwin Leader

E. H. Haase, 3560 Mountan View Drive, Lafayette, recently became the latest Democrat to accept chairmanship of a Democrats for Baldwin committee.

Haase, supervisor in the bridge and building department of the Southern Pacific Company's western division, is one of "hundreds of Democrats enrolled in campaign groups working for the reelection of Representative John F. Baldwin," the congressman's campaign chairman, Harmon Howard, Walnut Creek, has announced.

Among Demcorats holding key posts in the Democrats for Baldwin committee in Lafayette are Bernard T. Rocca Jr., Jack Schneider, Mrs. George H. Finger, Mrs. William Scott, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Knobel, C. A. Nilsen, Stanley Soder, Newton Davis and Mrs. Ruth Wiseman.

"I like the way Congressman Baldwin kept his campaign promises to fairly represent everyone in the Sixth District. The support Congressman Baldwin is receiving from individual labor leaders and large groups of union members, from farmers, veterans, Democrats, and civic leaders representing all walks of life give ample proof that John Baldwin is giving outstanding representation to this district," Haase said.

Haase, a veteran of 20 years in railroad transportation, formerly engaged in mining. He is a Mason, member of the American Railway Bridge and Building Association, and a member of the Lafayette Improvement Association. He is a veteran of the first World War.

Demo Women Hold Dinner

A family potluck supper was held by the East-Central Contra Costa Democratic Women's Club Sunday at the Pleasant Hill Recreation Center, Pleasant Hill Road and Oak Park Boulevard.

Mrs. Sallie Hoff, and Mrs. Melvin A. Reid, Walnut Creek area chairmen, and Mrs. R. R. Nesbitt, secretary, took Martinez, Pittsburg and Antioch.

Having voted to support United Democratic Fund affairs, the club will plan for precinct work in certain areas and also take reservations for a jamboree tonight at the Lafayette Town Hall, according to Mrs. Varley McBeth and Mrs. Jon Morgan of Pleasant Hill, supper co-chairmen.

County Needs Vets' Hospital, Pedder States

Jack Pedder, Republican candidate for state senator from Contra Costa County, this week declared that "the building of the new veterans' hospital in Contra Costa County is a must." He urged all residents to "solidly back efforts to have it built here."

"There are many suitable sites in our county with the accessibility necessary for housing doctors, nurses and veterans' families. The hospital should not, however, be built in an expensive area such as Orinda," Pedder stated.

"Contra Costa County has 80,000 veterans, Solano 25,000 and Alameda 156,000. In California there are 2,500,000 veterans. Many of these veterans are in immediate need.

"Being a member of a family of veterans, I am conscious of their problems and those of their wives, widows and orphans.

"They fought for us—we will not forget them."

BRAKES NEED BREAKING IN

The brakes on a new car or on a car that has been fitted with new brake shoes or linings should be broken in correctly. This is done by applying the brakes moderately for several days until they are nicely burnished. Severe application of the brakes may permanently injure new linings and may score brake drums.

Larmer Tells Appreciation

Edward M. Larmer, candidate for Second District supervisor, yesterday voiced his appreciation of "the courtesy extended to me by voters throughout the Second District as I approached them to present my program."

"I have found the voters not only most courteous but most interested in the big problems that confront us," Larmer said.

"They know the part that highways, water, planning, rapid transit and schools play in our everyday lives and the effective interest that government has to play."

In a final statement to voters, Larmer said:

"If I am elected supervisor I will provide a central county office from which citizens can be served most effectively. I am prepared to give full time to the position. I have had experience in major public ventures that I believe important in any consideration.

"The Second District needs an important place in the county picture. It needs and must have standup representation.

"One method of impressing our views of government is to vote on Tuesday. A heavy vote will display to the rest of the county the importance we place on citizenship. We have important offices to be filled. Vote and register your choice, and be sure you do it."

Demo-Republican Census Announced

With primary elections only four days away, an analysis of voter registrations was announced by County Clerk Walter Paasch.

He said that in six of the county's seven state assembly and supervisorial districts, the democrats outnumber the Republicans, but that Republicans have nearly a 2-1 majority in Supervisorial District No. 2.

This includes Crockett, Orinda, Lafayette, Moraga, San Ramon and Alamo.

The count there is 12,579 Republicans against 6449 Democrats.

In the Third District, including Walnut Creek, Concord and Martinez, there are 18,436 Republicans and 22,097 Democrats.

Other districts are as follows: 1 — Richmond, San Pablo, 44,141 Democrats, 6751, and Republicans. 4 — Pittsburg, 8745 Democrats, 2449 Republicans; 5 — Antioch. Democrats, 6751, and Sepublicans. 2942.

There are 42,770 Democrats and 17,211 Republicans in the 11th State Assembly District, including all of Supervisorial District One except Kensington.

COSTLY DROP

In Green Bay, Wisconsin, the law says that a motorists shall be fined for each drop of oil he allows to drip on the pavement.

Mrs. Koller Airs Industrial Lack

Mrs. Eunice Koller, candidate for supervisor from District No. 2, has asserted that the importance of industry to Contra Costa County has been "sadly neglected in this campaign."

"Where industry can be placed, it should be encouraged," she said, going on to point out that industry plays an important part in financing community services.

"In Crockett our school districts are financially healthy because of our local industry. We have no bonded indebtedness and, even with the construction of a new $50,000 manual training building at Carquinez School next year, will have no financial burden," Mrs. Koller said.

She added, "Our residential communities must be kept residential. I don't think industry wants to settle itself in these areas. But where it can be developed without creating problems, it should be encouraged."

Mrs. Koller said that by this time all candidates for supervisor of District No. 2 have expressed similar aims for healthy progress in the county.

"I believe voters will be concerned with the ability and personal integrity of the candidates," she said.

In this regard, Mrs. Koller said that she is a candidate because she believes she has valuable experience and ability after many years of civic activity.

She is a member of the State Alcoholics Rehabilitation Commission, a trustee of the Carquinez Elementary School District and is active in numerous Crockett organizations.

Young GOPers Will Hold Dance

New members and old of the Lafayette and Walnut Creek Young Republican Clubs will have a chance to become acquainted at their joint Barn Dance, to be held June 16 from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Veterans Memorial Hall in Lafayette.

The $1.50 per couple ticket will cover an evening's dancing to the music of the "Efemmaires."

Refreshments will also be available. Tickets can be obtained from members of the clubs or by calling Mrs. George Ely, AT 3-3918.

Dance Program To Be Presented

Tomorrow and Sunday, at 7:30 and 2:30 p.m., the Mason-Kahn Dance Studio of Lafayette will present a dance review at the M. H. Stanley School auditorium.

It wll feature "The Story of Cinderella," done in dance and pantomime.

General admission will be 50 cents (no reserved seats), and tickets will be sold at the door.

Wallace Unit 'Permanent'

The Citizens Committee for Better Government, which is supporting C. R. Wallace for supervisor in the Second District, yesterday announced formation of "a permanent organization to further the cause of good government in Contra Costa County."

"Election of Wallace is our first objective," said F. S. Clough of Alamo, spokesman for the group, "but no man can be expected to perform miracles. He must have behind him a group of informed and enlightened citizens who will back his policies and work toward the accomplishment of his, and our, objectives.

"We are tired of having this county accused of a horse-and-buggy approach in its administration of government. The complexion of this county has changed and we will no longer tolerate inefficiency, pressure politics and political chicanery."

Pointing to a nucleus of "forthright developers and subdividers," Clough asked, "Why should these people follow the rules of the game only to find their competitors taking advantage of every trick and artifice to realize financial gains at the cost of the homeowner whose effort and hard work in improving his property has paved the way for the quick profit, the fast buck?"

Stating that it is supported by more than 100 civic leaders throughout the district, the Citizens Committee for Better Government predicts it "will present an imposing force in the interest of good government, good planing and sound economy in Contra Costa County."

William H. Thurston, chairman of the Orinda Association's Civic Affairs Committee, this week announced his support of Wallace.

Demos Reject Groups Which 'Mislead Voters'

The Danville Democrats charged this week that "the so-called 'Democratic Committees to Reelect . . . ' the incumbents by not admitting that they are Republicans, are trying to mislead and confuse the Democratic voters in Tuesday's primary election."

The statement continued by claiming that "Democrats will realize that these letterhead organizations have no official Democratic Party status. They are generally composed of a handful of so-called Democrats who have done little, if anything, in behalf of regular Democratic nominees in the past.

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DON DOYLE GETS THINGS DONE...

for Contra Costa County

SCHOOLS Don Doyle, as chairman of the Assembly Education Committee, has cleared more than 500 bills to improve education. Scores of these have directly benefited Contra Costa School Districts. He has 10 subcommittees now making a survey of schools to point the way to further legislative help.

BRIDGES, FREEWAYS Contra Costa's accelerated freeway program, which totals more than $50 million, is made possible because Don Doyle successfully handled the Collier Highways Bill in the State Assembly. These, and our two new bridges which will span Carquinez Strait, are tributes to the legislative teamwork in Sacramento between Doyle and our Democratic representatives.

FLOOD CONTROL Doyle obtained $940,000 for Walnut Creek watershed Flood Control Zone. This money is available whenever voters decide to underwrite the county's share of flood control effort.

LABOR Labor trusts, and as a consequence, has unanimously endorsed Don Doyle. Through his efforts, millions of dollars worth of jobs have been created in Contra Costa County. Doyle's humanitarian interest has led to his work for improved workmen's compensation laws, increased unemployment insurance benefits and increased retirement for teachers.

MAKE YOUR VOTE COUNT
RE-ELECT
THE MAN YOU KNOW!
DON DOYLE
ASSEMBLYMAN
Primary Election June 5
Sponsored by Doyle Campaign Committee
Ben Peterson, Chairman; Brentwood

here's what a syndicated writer had to say about State Senator GEORGE MILLER, JR.

"Miller's non-partisan and workman-like approach to the problems assigned to him, the soundness of his decisions and the successful prosecution of legislative solutions attracted sufficient attention in the senate to generate the idea of creating a special committee which would serve as a receptacle for various and sundry problems confronting the legislature."

here's the full story from the INDEPENDENT editorial page, Sept. 21, 1955

Miller Opens Fairs Probe

By Henry MacArthur

SACRAMENTO (CNS)—Senator George Miller, Jr., of Martinez, (D), is back in Sacramento conducting an investigation into the practices of state supported fairs, including the California State Fair and Exposition, in awarding lucrative concession contacts.

While at the moment, he is interested in fair contracts, the senator promises to devote most of his time before the 1957 session of the legislature to investigating secrecy in government, which he believes is the greatest threat there is to good government.

An able and affable senator, Miller came to the legislature in 1947 as an assemblyman, and moved over to the Senate in 1949. There he soon earned both the respect and admiration of the late Senator George J. Hatfield, who ran the senate by the technique of taking into camp any new senator who appeared to be a likely leader in his own right.

Miller's instant acceptance by Hatfield gained him early stature in the legislature, and Hatfield was not dilatory in putting his new find to work Almost from the beginning the senate started assigning to him for committee study various subjects, many of which had been perplexing and embarrassing the legislature for years.

Miller's non-partisan and workman-like approach to the problems assigned to him, the soundness of his decisions and the successful prosecution of legislative solutions, attracted sufficient attention in the senate to generate the idea of creating a special committee which would serve as a receptacle for various and sundry problems confronting the legislature.

The committee which Miller now heads, the senate special committee on governmental administration, was the result. Created in 1953, the committee conducted the most successful interim program ever achieved by anyone.

Among the subjects which the Miller committee handled during the 1953-55 study were state purchasing, prison building needs, civil defense, judges' salaries and secrecy in government.

The recommendations of Miller's committee have resulted in savings of millions of dollars to the taxpayers, restored order out of chaos in such things as setting judges' salaries, and in general, redounded to the benefit of the people of California.

As a leader of the Democratic party, Senator Miller has leaned over backwards to avoid partisanship in his committee work.

An outstanding example of this freedom from partisanship in the handling of legislative problems was his committee study on state purchasing.

Assigned this study by the senate rules committee in March of 1954, at the time he was chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee, Miller had a wonderful opportunity for a political attack on the administration of Governor Goodwin J. Knight, who was then campaigning for election.

Yet, no hearings were held and no statements were made until after the general election in November of that year.

Instead, the senator conducted his investigations of the purchasing practices and just as quietly conducted the hearings after the elections, and then offered sound legislation to improve the procedures without even making an attack on the administration. That the legislation was sound and much needed was attested to by Governor Knight at the time he signed the legislation sponsored by Miller, into law.

Republican Voters Committee for Senator George Miller, Jr.
Elton Brombacher - James F. Hoey, Co-Chairmen

Here's a Chance to Meet Your Supervisorial Candidates

Supervisorial Candidates Answer More Sun Queries

With next Tuesday's primary election only four days off, voters are carefully studying statements and material issued by the seven candidates for county supervisor from District 2.

So as to aid voters in their deliberations, The Sun recently asked each supervisorial candidate a series of questions.

The answers to the first three questions — on planning and zoning, pin ball machines and "controlled manufacturing areas" — appeared in last week's Sun.

On this page are the candidates' replies to the two remaining questions. The answers are numbered to correspond to the questions, which are:

1. Do you think the county should have a "charter form of government"?

2. Do you think the county's district attorney should be a full-time position or should remain "part-time" as it is now?

Eunice Koller

1. For some time a charter form of government has been advocated by many of our voters. Studies have been conducted in our county on the subject.

It is very apparent that a charter form of government would correct many of our failings. I believe that the people must be informed as to what a "charter government" is. Far too few people have any knowledge at all concerning this type of government.



EUNICE KOLLER

Space does not permit elaboration on the difference between what we now have and what is proposed.

Bear in mind that it would take a majority of votes cast at a special election to adopt a charter. What happens to us in the meantime? Simply this — our present form of government must be evaluated, strengthened and made the most of for the time being.

2. I believe that our district attorney should be a full-time position.

With the number of deputies in that office at the present time I do not see how it can be anything but full-time. I doubt if any county with our population is without a full-time district attorney.

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David Comstock

1. I have advocated charter government for Contra Costa County for the past two years as the only intelligent solution to our current governmental problems. It is ridiculous for a county of this size and complexity to continue to operate under the handicap of state control. We should be able to pass our own laws, set our own standards and streamline our government when needed.



DAVID COMSTOCK

We should have a county manager who is professionally experienced and trained for the job, and who will and must accept responsibility for all administrative decisions.

Because it is a practical necessity for the supervisors to support such a change, it is important that the voters of each district elect men who are committed in advance to such a program.

2. Not only do I believe that the office of district attorney should be a full-time job, but also those of his deputies, members of the Board of Supervisors, members of the California Assembly and Senate and every other governmental post which involves decisions which in turn involve money.

This is a serious failure of local and state government in California.

All governmental positions should be re-evaluated as fulltime jobs, salaries adjusted correspondingly and laws passed which would make a jail term mandatory in the case of any public official accepting outside employment or income during his term of office.

Harold Mutnick

1. Reorganization of our county government for the purpose of achieving greater efficiency and economy for our tax dollar is the key to our problem of Contra Costa government.

Merely changing the form of our county government will not cure our governmental problems.



HAROLD MUTNICK

There are both efficient and inefficient charter counties today in California. Of course, the charter form should be carefully studied as one possible way of achieving desired efficiency and economy; 15 per cent of the voters may initiate such a study, even without the acquiescence of the Board of Supervisors.

The point to be stressed, however, is that, with a charter, we will still have an elected Board of Supervisors with powers to set policy; and your government, regardless of the form it takes, is only as good as the officials you elect to serve you.

Don't be led to believe that charter form, in and of itself, is a panacea for all our governmental ills!

2. The office of county district attorney, as well as the offices of deputy district attorney, should be made full-time positions, with commensurate full-time salaries, and with complete divorcement from any private law practice.

Contra Costa County is growing fast and will continue to grow. Therefore, since all our county officials have acquired full-time responsibilities; their governmental positions should be made full-time duties, without outside interests or possible conflicts of interest.

Mel Nielsen

1. I want an expert study of the charter form of government. Such a charter can be framed and adopted by a county, subject to approval of the Legislature. The charter may provide for appointment of certain officers, rather than their election. The charter can establish requirements for such offices as to eligibility and standard of performance.

The charter form is only as successful as its provisions and administration. A study can supply facts on charter form to the voters. Consideration should be given to the effect of municipal corporations and possible county service areas located in the county.

I don't think any candidate has enough information at this time to make a sound and positive recommendation for adoption of a charter. However, in addition to a study, I recommend in the meantime that the supervisor devote full time to the office. A thorough administrative reorganization under supervisors' control can eliminate current duplication of work and effect greater efficiency and economy.

Instead of losing time by waiting for a charter form to be studied and adopted, something should be done now. I am prepared to undertake that task.



MEL NIELSEN

2. The office of district attorney in the county should be a full-time job. The problems of this fast-growing area are such that they cannot be properly handled on a part-time basis.

The character and variety of cases coming before the district attorney are so complex that it is almost impossible for an attorney engaged in private practice to avoid conflicts of interest while he is holding public office.

The district attorney, according to the California Government Code, is the public prosecutor, defense attorney for the county, legal adviser to county and district officers, legal adviser for bond issues, and is charged with abatement of nuisances.

The office of district attorney should be filled by a dedicated full-time public servant. Compensation for the job should not be permitted to serve as a subsidy for a private law practice.

C. R. Wallace

1. Yes, emphatically. It is the main plank in my platform, and has been since the beginning of the campaign.

The present system of county government is clumsy and outmoded; inherently there are duplications and overlapping functions amongst the various departments; administrative responsibility is scattered and uncoordinated.

Good officials are unable to fully employ sound, modern business principles in carrying out their duties. Voters are handicapped in determining the qualifications of the candidates for the long list of elective offices.

The adoption of a modern and sound charter, tailored to meet our special problems, will insure:

(1). A short ballot.

(2). A policy-making body (the supervisors elected by and more directly responsible to the people.



C. R. WALLACE

(3). One administrative head (county manager) with full responsibility for efficient management of county affairs; the appointment by the Board of Supervisors being based solely on his professional qualifications and experience.

(4) A departmental arrangement based on modern concepts of functional organization (including centralized administrative control, and with departmental heads appointed by and responsible to the county manager).

(5). Flexbility to meet special local conditions and adjustment to the changing tempo.

(6). Re-establishment of respect and confidence in the principles of democracy as applicable to county government.

2. The position should become full-time.

The following information was furnished by county auditor's office.

The district attorney's salary is $12,000 per annum, plus mileage and expenses when traveling officially.

An assistant district attorney earns $897 per month. Eight deputies earn between $449 and $539 per month; seven other deputies earn between $570 and $709 per month.

A comparison with lawyers on salary in private practice shows these figures to be fair at the present time for full-time employees. It is believed these county positions should be full time and carry commensurate salaries.

William Zion

1. I think the county eventually should and will have a charter form of government. It is well-suited to large ,complex counties, in that it permits centralized management, the elimination of many elective offices, the expansion of the number of men on the Board of Supervisors, and the government of local areas within the county along borough lines.

All of these things are forbidden by the state laws under which the county must operate if it does not adopt its own charter.

However, I am not sure that at this time a countywide charter movement and election would result in the kind of charter I want. Nevertheless, I believe that the Board of Supervisors should, if requested, initiate charter proceedings so that the voters may have a chance to decide.

Changes in state law could also obtain some of the improvements mentioned above.

In addition, the Board of Supervisors can informally delegate to the county administrator the functions of a county manager right now.



WILLIAM ZION

I believe that, regardless of the form of government, the only sure way to get good government is to elect good men to the policy-making positions, in this case the Board of Supervisors.

2. I believe the district attorney should be a full-time position. However, the State Legislature, rather than the Board of Supervisors, has jurisdiction over this matter. The supervisors do have the power and should prohibit outside practice on the part of the 14 deputy district attorneys.

The primary weakness in permitting outside practice is conflict of interest when a private client becomes involved in civil proceedings with the county.

Though conflict of interest may arise with other county offfices also, I think it is particularly dangerous in the field of law enforcement.

Edward Larmer

1. A charter form of government is not a proper topic for this election. It cannot be covered in the scope that should be encompassed. Many agencies need to investigate it.

The charter form of government is advanced as "home rule" government. But, even the textbooks on government always put the "home rule" in quotes. Because, even charter counties still find dependency upon and amenability to state laws.

The claim is made that a charter consolidates offices and thus shortens the ballot. But, it has not shortened ballots in Oakland, San Francisco or other places. It has lengthened them. There is not now an election in which there are not a score of amendments for the people to vote upon.



EDWARD LARMER

Some charter counties are not satisfied.

The claim is made that it is good business, but some say it puts government behind a barrier. We now have people complaining they can't reach into government. How much more frusturated would they be with a charter barrier?

I have heard veterans say, "We did not fight to have our government go behind barriers. We want it where we can get a whack at it."

I have heard others say it will create bureauracy and they refer to the continuing Hoover fight against bureaucracy, its costs and its barriers.

Real home rule is the best thing in government.

This is what I offer:

Let's study the situation. Then let's determine if the proper step is prevailing on the Legislature to change outmoded laws and give us more home rule and more freedom and no governmental barriers. All at less cost. We amended the Constitution of the United States. Surely, we can amend state law.

2. I favor a full-time district attorney, at an increased salary. This view is expressed with my observations as a member of the Contra Costa Grand Jury.

We have outstanding Superior Court judges in this county serving at salaries of $1,000 a year.

We should provide commensurate salary for the district attorney's office and make it full-time.

Builders Exchange Director Speaks

Victor B. Engel, executive director of the Central Contra Costa Builders Exchange was in Detroit attending the Executive Secretaries International Conference of Builders Exchanges sessions, last week.

A series of seminars on construction industry subjects and general exchange of management information took place during the three day conference.

Central theme was changing conditions in kinds and volume of building and construction industry in North America.

More than 100,000 firms and individuals will be represented by management delegates at this important conference. Engel read a paper on organizational activities of his relatively new builders exchange.

Engel will make a detailed report to the Central Contra Costa Builders Exchange board of directors.

Sun Classified ads appear in 5 papers for 1 bargain price.

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Who-ooo-ooo-ooo-ooo are you gonna vote for...
... for SUPERVISOR?



Up a tree? Out on a limb?
All a-twitter?

Who-ooo-ooo-ooo

has the most time to devote to the job?

GENERAL (Ret.) C. R. WALLACE. Fully retired, he is not engaged in any business (past, present or future) which would distract his time or thinking. There is nothing to compromise his integrity. He has pledged full time to the job.



Who-ooo-ooo

has the most administrative experience and ability?

GENERAL WALLACE. Graduate of U. S. Naval Academy; member of U. S. Marine Corps for over 30 years. His exceptional abilities as an executive and an able administrator have been amply proven.



Who-ooo-ooo-ooo

has the backing of the CITIZENS COMMITTEE FOR BETTER GOVERNMENT?

In an effort to select the best qualified man for the job, a group of residents of our district formed the "Citizens Committee for Better Government." Prospective candidates were interviewed and after much deliberation the unanimous and impartial choice was General Wallace.



Who-ooo-ooo-ooo... are you gonna vote for?



Owl tell you ... Wallace!

Tuesday, June 5, 1956
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Clarence R. Wallace Retired Military Officer	X

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SWIM POOL MEMBERSHIP INCLUDED
Very desirable. 2 bedroom. Attached garage, plus double garage. Large fenced lot, many trees, fireplace, oak floors, etc. No tract. $9500, $1000 down, $75 per mo. Phone Martinez 2691J.

K/R

Lovely home, 4 bedroom, 2 bath. Rumpus room; racnh style; nicely landscaped; sprinkler system; 3 box stall barn; ¾ acre in Clayton Valley.

K/R Maisel

REALTORS
2901 Mt. Diablo, Walnut Creek
YE 4-9366

4. DANVILLE

BEAUTIFUL exclusive 3½ acre building site, (Horses). YE 4-0413, eves., weekends.

By Owner Builder:
Number 5 North Jackson Way off Danville Road near Alamo. Privacy and seclusion. Just completed ranch type home, three bedrooms, 2 baths, family room, General Electric kitchen. Half acre lot, walnut trees. $23,500. LAndscape 4-4526.

2½ ACRES hillside, Diablo Country Club view, asking $5500. Consider selling half. VE 7-2923.

SUNNY

OFFERS
The outstanding contemporary in the Danville area. A beautiful living room with cut-stone fireplace and a formal dining room. These 2 rooms open thru sliding glass doors to a covered veranda and a spectacular view of the hills. Two suites comprise the sleeping area. The master suite is spacious with custom built-ins in dressing room and bath. The other suite has 2 bedrooms and large bathroom. There is a large den with fireplace and additional half bath. For children or for parties, a large recreation room which could double as fourth bedroom—as here is the third bath. Outdoor living is the sun deck above the 3-car garage and the patio area with built-in BBQ under huge oaks. Price of $67,500 includes home and 7 acres.
SUNNY READ, Realtor, Danville
550 Danville Hwy. VE 7-4277

$600 Down to G.I.

RANCH TYPE, 3 BEDROOM, large rumpus room, ¼ acre fenced and landscaped. Patio, lath house, lots of berries, etc. $12,000.

CHARMING RANCH, 3 BEDROOM
On quiet street, walking distance to everything. Only 6 yrs. old. $14,500. G.I. or FHA financing.
FREMEREY REALTORS
Highway 21, Danville, VE 7-4510
Opposite 5 & 10

$1500 Down

3 bedroom home, newly decorated, well shrubbed, ½ acre, near Golf Course. Must see to appreciate. Price, $11,500.

RON WALKER

East Prospect, Danville
VE 7-6160; Eves., VE 7-6379

5. LAFAYETTE

LAFAYETTE OAKS

Charming home in nice area. Upstairs 2 bedrooms, bath, dining room and large living room, kitchen with breakafst nook. Downstairs redwood paneled room with fireplace and bath suitable for bedroom or play room. Large workshop and huge storage room. Many oak trees. Owner transferred and must sell. $17,750.

Highland Realty Co.

2363 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
YE 4-4406 YE 4-9399 eves.

LAFAYETTE OAKS. Early American home. Two bedrooms. Tile bath. Large living room and dining room. Two separate rooms. House insulated. Wired 220 volts for stove, dryer and washer. Rumpus room with fireplace and bar. Two full baths. Tile floor. Large barbecue. Outdoor fireplace. Grounds wired for lighting. Two lots, not quite two acres. With large oak trees.
ATLANTIC 3-3739.

A Qualified Non G.I.

WITH ONLY $5000 DOWN
May purchase one of these Luxury Homes by master craftsmen in a prestige neighborhood of Orinda, Lafayette or Alamo. Monthly payments as low as $120.41 including principal and interest. Priced from $$21,500 to $27,000. Evenings Mr. Blake, LAndscape 4-1900.
Lafayette Realty Co., Realtors
3659 Mt. Diablo Blvd., Laf.
ATlantic 3-6201

LAFAYETTE HOME

One of Contra Costa County's finest. A 2 acre estate enclosed with cyclone steel fencing. Priced in the upper bracket. Consider small home in trade. Over 3500 sq. ft. in this beautiful home. Has everything you desire, except swimming pool. YE 5-0383.

A CLOSE-IN HOME
Level site, landscaped, sprinkler system, patio. 2 years old, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, separate dining room; mahogany paneled living room, insulated throughout. Priced for quick sale, only $17,-950.
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ATlantic 3-6201

A HOME 'N INCOME
A ranch type duplex priced in a bracket that brings good returns. 2 units, 2 bedrooms each. Fireplaces, well built, good district. FHA appraisal, $22,500. Will also G.I.
CHARLES H. HARVEY, Realtor
3327 Mt. Diablo, Lafayette
AT 3-6208 YE 4-7343

AMONG FINER HOMES
For those who can pay $12,000 down this new contemporary in Lafayette available in 30 days. Over 2700 sq. ft., 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large rumpus or hobby room and tool shop. Brick trimming inside and out. Built-in barbecue and electric kitchen. All on one acre site of shady oaks. This won't last. Call now!! Evenings Mr. Daviess, YEllowstone 5-0383.
Lafayette Realty Co.. Realtors
3659 Mt. Diablo Blvd., Laf.
ATlantic 3-6201

Garry Grover, Builder

A 3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, home just completed . . . Gary Grover, builder. 2429 Warren Road, Sarannap. Electric oven and range built in; equipped and ready for washer and dryer; FHA financing if desired $15,950

SMALL HILLSIDE LOT at 1171 Nogales St., near Acalanes High School $1500 cash

LARGE DOWNSLOPE LOT approx. 1½ acres on Tara Road, near Nonie Road in Orinda $3300 cash

James C. Philips Co.

3428 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
AT 3-3396 AT 3-6460

SUN VALLEY

Spic and span clean 3 bedroom home. 12x12 utility room. Disposal, dishmaster, insulated, sprinklers. Large patio and fenced yard. $13,950.

Highland Realty Co.

2363 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
YE 4-4406 YE 4-8992 eves.

$15,000 — 4 Bedrooms

Beamed ceiling ranch home. 2 baths, level landscaped lot. Area of nice homes. FHA financing or G.I. with $3000 down. Ask for Mr. Wiggins.

Boise & Soule'

Orinda Crossroads CL 4-4351

PROSPEROUS LAFAYETTE BUSINESS
Owner retiring. Boats - outboard motors, etc. Nice 2 bedroom, den, home attached. Good neighborhood. Business netting over $10,-000 per year. This is a natural for folks wishing to set up son or son-in-law in business. Owner will finance. Reduced to $31,750.
CHARLES H. HARVEY, Realtor
3327 Mt. Diablo Blvd., Lafayette
AT 3-6208 YE 4-7343

5. LAFAYETTE

A LITTLE FARM
In Reliez Valley, ¾ acre site, family orchard, water piped throughout, chicken house. Pleasant 3 year old, 2 bedroom home, central heat, large basement with inside stairway.
Lafayette Realty Co., Realtors
3659 Mt. Diablo Blvd., Laf.
ATlantic 3-6201

A LAFAYETTE VALUE
This lovely 3 bedroom ranch home, fully insulated and weatherstripped. Well developed patio and barbecue, green lawns, sprinkler system. See now. $17,000. Evenings Mr. Beers, ATlantis 3-3596.
Lafayette Realty Co., Realtors
3659 Mt. Diablo Blvd., Laf.
ATlantic 3-6201

Brand New—$24,850

Architect designed ranch style home of 3 bedrooms, 2 plus baths, complete electric kitchen, family room, barbeque. All spacious rooms. Level ½ acre of fruit trees and pines. Open Sunday, Reliez Station Road at Vernon. Ask for the Scofields.

GARRETT & GARRETT

ATlantic 4-4472 3565 Mt. Diablo

Assume This 4% Loan

Charming three bedroom home on large landscaped view lot. Available for immediate occupancy. Absent owner anxious for quick sale.

Architect's Contemporary

Beautiful setting with swimming pool. Two bedrooms, two baths and den; large covered patio. Call Howard Young, evenings, DRake 6-5566.

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6. ORINDA

BY OWNER!

ORINDA $18,950!
Nearly new, close-in, 3 bedrm., 2 bath home. Panoramic view. Large 1500 sq. ft. living area. Over ½ acre lot, beautiful oak trees. Newly decorated. Fireplace, plenty tile. Fine school close — **A REAL BARGAIN.** Open daily 172 Glorietta Blvd., (near Rheem Blvd.) Owner, AT 3-8002.

ENJOY

carefree outdoor living at its best — 37 ft. protected patio; level, view setting with trees; perfect pool site. 3 bdrms.; 2 tiled baths; storage. Spotless thruout. Special terms — $2500 **DOWN — MOVE RIGHT IN.** $26,500. Details . . . Eves., YE 4-4123.
ORINDA VILLAGE REALTY
105 Orinda Hwy. CL 4-4319

A SWIM POOL
Membership goes with spacious (2500 feet) 4 bdrm. 2 bath home with separate dining, den, workshop, playroom, lots of storage. Near Crossroads. Drive by 44 Barbara Road then see me or your broker.

BETTER THAN NEW
Transferred owner must sell 18 months old 3 bedrm. 2 bath home on large level lot with patios and garden. View of Mt. Diablo. Only $22,500. Open Sunday. Williams Realty, OLympic 5-5685 or CL 4-5815.

OPEN SUNDAY

37 La Campana, Orinda.
Contractor office: New modern 3 bedroom 2 bath home at reduced price of $19,750. Dishwasher and stove included. Wonderful view with lots of privacy. Many oaks. Go direct to property. **COUNTRY CLUB REALTY, ORINDA VILLAGE.** CL 4-2551.

7. WALNUT CREEK

5 ROOM house, hardwood floors, Youngstown cabinets. 3 blocks from town, small cottage on lot; rents for $45 month. Will take 35' or larger trailer house as partial payment. George Hinkley, 1757 Pringle Ave., Walnut Creek.

SOUTH OF TOWN on Orchard Lane, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, separate family room or den. California ranch, shake roof, used brick trim. $22,100. Home open Sunday or call YE 4-3689.
PHIL GREER REALTY, INC.

7. WALNUT CREEK

BY OWNER. Quality home near schools, shopping, churches. 80 x 12 lot. 1300 sq. ft., 3 large bedrooms, large living room, fireplace, separate dining room, entry hall, laundry room, tile bath and kitchen, hardwood floors, insulated, weatherstripped, fruit trees, shade trees, fenced, landscaped, large patio, well and pressure system. $13,850. YE 4-0262.

BY OWNER — 3 bedroom ranch house, ½ acre. Beautiful Walnut Heights. $16,500. Financing G.I. or open. 3110 Walnut Blvd., YE 4-5823.

BY OWNER: 3 bedroom, near schools, shopping. Completely fenced, beautifully landscaped, covered patio, graveled service yard, large corner lot. $2300 dn., $14,500. YE 5-5498.

OUTSTANDING NEW HOME
Separate dining room, large electric ranch kitchen, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, level ½ acre, fruit and nut trees. Only $21,500. $5600 down. 161 Kingsdale Dr. (Rudgear to Yetta, left on Kingsdale). Owner, YE 4-8208.

2400 Sq. Ft. Luxury Living

NO. 198: 3 bedroom, 2½ baths, separate dining room, 22x17 rumpus and fireplace, large enclosed patio. Finest brown Basalite construction. Parquet hardwood floors, radiant heat, heavy shake roof, large kitchen with dishwasher and garbage disposal. Separate utility room. Extra large 2 car garage. Situated on an acre of mature walnuts and fruit trees in the heart of choice walnut grove. Secluded yet in the City of Walnut Creek. Qualified purchaser can assume $25,000 G.I. loan at 4½%, payments $181 per month including taxes and insurance. A beautiful offering at $36,000.

George H. Cockerton

REALTOR
2343 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
YE 4-4458

LEVEL ½ acre, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths. Lovely trees and shrubs. Close in. Large FHA loan. Extra building lot. **KIDDER REALTOR,** YE 4-8201 or YE 5-1960. 2818 N. Main, W.C.

Cool — Cool — Cool

New air-condition system in all SEVEN rooms, ranch home. Three bedrooms. Twin vanities in master bath with both tub and stall shower. Glass and screened porch off playroom. A real dining room. Lovely breakfast room part of big family kitchen. Custom built sliding doors throughout.

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2363 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
YE 4-4406 YE 5-5212 eves.

LARGE 4 bedroom ranch style home, 2 baths, utility room, 5 years old, Indian Valley, transferred, $17,950 for quick sale by owner. YE 4-4007.

BUILDING SITES

Three ½ acre level lots, all utilities $3500
½ acre level corner lot, trees, and well, all utilities $5000

Mildred E. Tinker

REALTOR
1334 Locust St., Walnut Creek
YEllowstone 4-4719

WALNUT CREEK, SOUTH
1 year old large home. ½ acre level. 3 bedrooms, family room. Best of terms. Evenings Mr. Evans, YEllowstone 4-8012.
Lafayette Realty Co., Realtors
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ATlantic 3-6201

Diablo View Gardens

Lovely 6 rooms, 3 bedrooms, hardwood floors, landscaped yard, large kitchen with breakfast area. Fireplace. Excellent buy at $13,-950. $3850 down. Assume G.I. loan, 4½%, $76 per month or new FHA or G.I. loan.

SOUTH OF TOWN
Seven rooms, 3 large bedrooms. Central floor plan. Large living room with fireplace. Two baths. A charming home, fenced, landscaped yard and glassed in breezeway. $20,950. FHA-G.I.

McCALL REALTY

1330 Main Street, Walnut Creek
YE 4-7611 Eves., YE 4-4652

BEST VALUE

in Parkmead area, six spacious rooms, 3 bedrooms, 19x23 living room, rolled screens, patio, landscaped, play yard, $16,250, includes carpet and drapes.

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- ORINDA
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7. WALNUT CREEK

DELIGHTFUL new open plan 2 bedroom, 2 deluxe baths. Huge carport and storage. A natural for the "green thumber" with ½ acre good soil and canal water. Most any reasonble terms acceptable to owner-seller. $14,900. YE 4-6996.

BUY A HOMESITE

A splendid offering of full half acre lots in beautiful GLENWOOD between Walnut Creek and Danville. Fine soil, large trees, public sewers, 36' paved streets, curbs and gutters, perfect drainage. Select your site now. Prices from $7000. The gracious stone entry and fountain emphasize the distinction of this perfect development. Select your own builder or ask us about custom building. Glenwood office open daily.

Wm. F. Anderson

REALTOR
2051 Mt. Diablo Blvd., W.C.
Phone YEllowstone 4-9321

4 BEDROOM, 2 BATH

Only $11,000 F.H.A. $1200 down. 2 yrs. old. Owner transferred; wants quick action. Attractive Ranch style in excellent condition. Large patio, nice yard and garden. Grape stake fence; T.V. antenna.

Irvin Deutscher Co.

2350 Contra Costa Hiway
Pleasant Hill YE 4-6758
Opposite the Monument
Open evenings until 9

Massive

walnut trees surround this charming brick and rustic heavy shake ranch in traffic-free court of attractive quality homes. 3 bdrms., 2 baths; family room; lanai; patio. Pool site. **$1500 DOWN OR G.I.** $21,950. Broker, YE 4-4123.

3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths

A 6 month old ranch type home, located one mile southeast of town on ½ acre with an unobstructed view of Mt. Diablo. Central floor plan, central heat, random oak floors. Used brick trim with redwood in front. See this now, below construction cost at $16,450.

Dixon-Klausner, Realtor

1729 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
YE 4-2900 Eves., YE 4-6055

3 Bdrms., Family Room $15,450

A new contemporary non-tract home, 3 bdrms., 2 baths, family room, hardwood floors, forced air heat, all wood exterior, insulated. Level ⅓ acre, with bearing walnuts. Walk to bus and shopping. $15,450. $2850 down. 2449 Warren Rd., down Dewing to Warren. Open Sunday. YE 5-5621.

A Delightful Home

Two bedrooms plus family room on a beautifully landscaped corner lot with large shade trees, lawns and sprinklers. Immaculate condition, wall to wall carpeting over hardwood, central heat, air cooler, beautiful kitchen, many fine features. Walk to shopping and transportation. Ideal for older couple. $16,500.

Wm. F. Anderson

REALTOR
2051 Mt. Diablo Blvd., W.C.
Phone YEllowstone 4-9321

Treasure Hunt Over

We have it for you. A distinctive 7 room home in Lafayette. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths and rumpus. Wonderful outlook from all windows. Garden well planned for ease of care with many beautiful trees. Priced at $22,750 for quick sale with top financing.

Highland Realty Co.

2363 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
YE 4-4406 YE 5-5795 eves.

SHARP BUYS

Beautiful Lakewood home, parklike setting with lots of trees, approx. ¾ acre. Sewer in and connected. Home has over 1800 sq. ft. 7 plus rooms, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, separate dining room. 2 car garage. Shown by appointment only. FHA commitment should be about $17,000. Many unusual features. Full price $22,500.

5 plus acres on Livorna Road for sale at $3850 per acre. Zoning is ½ acre. Gas and electricity are available, water within a few feet. Sewer not yet. Good subdivision property or owner will consider selling in pieces if proper division can be made.

Leslie H. Sharp

REALTOR
1670 Locust St., W.C.
YE 5-1558

$125 Down To Qualified Vets

This is an unusual 3-bedroom home with many outstanding features, such as large wardrobe closets in all bedrooms, large living room with fireplace, spacious kitchen with breakfast nook, separate dining room with French doors opening out onto a large covered patio, attached 2-car garage. All this on a large level lot completely landscaped and fenced and all the water you can use for $3.00 per mo. Close to schools and shopping.
ONLY $62.82 per month plus taxes and ins.
Full price ONLY $11,500

Irvin Deutscher Co.

2350 Contra Costa Hiway
Pleasant Hill YE 4-6758
Opposite the Monument
Open evenings until 9

New Fuller and Eyman

A new variation of their most popular plan on a level half-acre lot in beautiful Tice Valley. Huge family room with barbecue, separate utility room, electric kitchen, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, rustic ranch exterior. $22,950.

Highland Realty Co.

2363 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
YE 4-4406 AT 3-2728 eves.

7 WALNUT CREEK

K/R

Nice 3 bedroom, 1 bath home that could be expanded to a 2 bath plus rumpus, very easily. The second bath is framed and roughed in. Asking $14,800.

K/R Maisel

REALTORS
2901 Mt. Diablo, Walnut Creek
YE 4-9366

PERKY MODERN

As fresh as a spring breeze. 3 BEDROOMS, 2 BATHS. Living room with floor length glass to patio, open functional kitchen. Forced air heat, summer fan. Just 2 years old and in TIP TOP condition. Well planned landscaping, lots of privacy, easy maintenance. Good planning and design, no fussy frills. Reduced to $12,950 and buyer can assume $10,900, 4% loan with monthly payments of $69 including taxes and insurance.

Built for 2

Charming white honeymoon cottage with 2 bedrooms. 7 fruit and nut trees on the deep level lot. Lots of room for hobby gardening or just relaxing. Immaculate, attractive. Low priced at $9500. We can arrange terms.

Phone YEllowstone 4-7641

Barney Gilbert, Realtor

1410 Main Street, Walnut Creek
Plenty of Parking in rear.

By Owner, So. of Town

Spacious custom built ranch style home in beautifully landscaped setting of large walnut trees and evergreens. Fruit, berries, deep well, paved court, sewer, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, family room, central heat, oversized garage, floor to ceiling fireplace, sheltered patio, view of Diablo. G.I. or FHA financing. $19,500. YE 4-5317.

K/R

Nestled under a Willow tree on quiet court. Near Parkmead school and neighborhood shopping. Central floor plan; 3 bedrooms; rumpus room 20 x 20; large brick patio; nicely landscaped. Will FHA or GI. $14,500.

K/R Maisel

REALTORS
2901 Mt. Diablo, Walnut Creek
YE 4-9366

AN URGENT SALE

A 3 bedroom ranch home located close to schools, shops and transportaion on a deadend street. 6 yrs. old, in good condition, landscaped, weatherstripped, insulated and fenced. Wired 220, garbage disposal. Offered at $13,950.

Dixon-Klausner, Realtor

1729 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
YE 4-2900 Eves., YE 4-6292

8. PLEASANT HILL

BY OWNER: Three bedroom home, wardrobe closets, tub showers, L-shaped living-dining area. Mantle fireplace. Pleasant kitchen, breakfast area, steel cabinets. Lath patio, table, benches. Completely landscaped, shade, fruit trees, grapevines, etc. TV antenna, water $3 per month, 2 blocks shopping. $11,000. FHA financed. 142 Cynthia Dr., Pleasant Hill. Call after 2 p.m.

3 BEDROOM home by owner, patio, $10,950. MU 5-6487. Call anytime.

9. REALTY WANTED

FOR QUICK ACTION List Your Property WITH Linden Sherk, Realtor In Alamo—VE 7-4282

Attention Lot Owners

Do you have a building site in Lafayette, you'd like to sell to a private party? AT 3-8004.

BUILDING LOT W. C.-Lafayette area, level 100 ft. frontage, up to $3500 cash. YE 4-3920.

10. Business Opportunity

FOR SALE
MEAT MARKET in fast growing community. Excellent opportunity for owner-operator. See John Kay. Next to Firehouse, Danville
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UNUSUAL OPPORTUNITY
WANTED—man or woman to own and operate cigarette and candy vending machine route. Orinda, Lafayette and surrounding territory. Part or full time. **NO SELLING.** Permanent weekly income. $690 cash investment required. For interview give phone number and address. State if necessary cash and your time are available for immediate start. Write to **SELF SERVICE.** P.O. Box 62, Palo Alto, Calif.

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19. BUSINESS RENTALS

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NOW planning professional office Bldg., on Pleasant Hill and Grayson Rd., in a fast growing community. You can plan your space on very attractive terms.
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LEASE—600 sq. ft. store front. Mt. Diablo Blvd., Lafayette. AT 3-8118 or YE 4-6983.

20. RENTALS

THREE room court apt. unfurnished except for electric stove & refrigerator. Wall to wall rug in living room. Infants accepted. Laundry facilities. (One block from town.) $75. 959 Hough Ave., Lafayette.

LARGE one bedroom duplex; new, unfurnished. 1938 Oakland Blvd. YE 4-3900.

ULTRA modern 2 bedroom apartments, center of town. TV facilities, sundecks, patios. Available soon. $90. YE 4-7121 days, YE 4-5155 eves.

VERY attractive furnished apartment. Country, garden surroundings. Walnut Creek area. Adults. $75. MU 5-8154.

SECLUDED 1 bedroom deluxe apartment in heart of Lafayette. Tile kitchen and bath, includes stove and refrigerator. AT 3-3930.

ORINDA, available June 1st. 3 months, possibly more. Unfurnished, spacious 2 bedroom home. THornwall 3-8014 evenings-weekends.

COMFORTABLE, quiet sleeping room, centrally located. 1413 Lincoln, W.C.

DUPLEX, 2 bedrooms, Sunset Village, Lafayette. YE 4-6916.

DELUXE 2 bedroom modern apartments, close to everything, 100 mo. YE 4-6996.

APARTMENT, 1 bedroom with stove, refrigerator, garage, near Monument. Garbage paid, $65. MU 5-0951.

SPACIOUS 2 bedroom apartment, utilities furnished, centrally located at 1627 Cypress, W.C. YE 4-6470.

LAFAYETTE, 1 bedroom, electric kitchen, adults, $70. 3441 Golden Gate Way, CL 4-2750, LA 6-6563.

FOR RENT Exclusive district, unfurnished, 2 bedroom duplex. Fireplace—patio, central heat. Occupancy July 1. No children. AT 3-3480.

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Rentals Unfurnished Orinda:

Commuters ideal location, new 3 bedroom, 2 baths. Available now on lease at $150 a month.

Jackson & Company, Realty

AT 3-8231, Evenings AT 3-6824

UNFURNISHED spacious 2 bedroom, 2 bath, large enclosed patio. Available June 15. CL 4-2272.

3606 BICKERSTAFF, Lafayette. New attractive 2 bedrm. garden apartment, fireplace, electric kitchen, good location, $100. AT 3-2091, AT 3-2034.

ONE bedroom apartment, furnished $97.50 or unfurnished $80. 3443 Golden Gate Way, Lafayette.

LAFAYETTE modern clean 1 bedroom apartment, stove, refrigerator, garage, $80. YE 4-4175.

UNFURNISHED 3 bedroom 1½ bath, large living room, carpet and drapes, big family room. Community pool. 1 year lease. $185. Close in. YE 4-3485.

2 ROOM partially furnished cottage. $35. YE 4-2083 after 5 p.m.

DANVILLE, 2 bedroom, suburban. Patio, barbecue, fenced, excellent location and view. Lease $95. VE 7-4511, YE 5-1402.

25. RENTALS WANTED

FAMILY of four wants furnished house or apartment in Orinda by July 1. Consider summer rental. CLifford 4-5338.

WANTED summer rental, furnished house. G.E. Lowe, office: TWinoaks 3-4600, ext. 696; residence SKyline 2-2839.

OFFICE space for Science-writer. Electricity, water, privacy needed. Orinda or Lafayette. Studio cottage, guest house, or shack would suit. CL 4-3084.

27. WORK WANTED

EXPERIENCED Japanese gardener maintenance. YE 5-0868.

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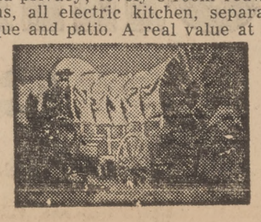
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Real Estate sales person for established, active office. Preferably experienced with the Orinda-Lafayette properties.
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34. MISC. FOR SALE

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34. MISC. FOR SALE

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YE 4-8525

34. MISC. FOR SALE

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35. BARGAIN COUNTER

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37. PETS AND ANIMALS

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37. PETS AND ANIMALS

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Legion Post, Teamster Union Co-Sponsor Team

The Lafayette American Legion and the Hayward Teamsters Union, Local 768, have joined forces in fielding a team in Legion baseball competition, which got under way last Sunday.

The local post has sponsored a team for a number of years in the play for boys under 17, which is sponsored nationwide and winds up each year with a national champion.

IN FORMER years the team has played in a loop composed largely of Bay Area clubs, but this season a new six-team loop is organized, composed of teams from Martinez, Port Chicago, Concord, Pittsburg, Walnut Creek and Lafayette.

The winner, after a double round-robin, will play a two-out-of-three series with the Bay Area winner for the right to represent the Legion in further statewide play.

THE LAFAYETTE Legion players are sporting new uniforms, thanks to funds provided by the Hayward union, which was most generous with funds from its Youth Welfare Fund.

The players' reaction was most favorable, as they waxed Port Chicago 10-3 in their opener last Sunday.

Scouts Issuing Trash Containers

In line with a pledge to further the practice of conservation and to encourage "outdoor courtesy," Boy Scouts of Mt. Diablo Council are planning to place trash barrels in strategic spots throughout the area of Contra Costa County, Berkeley, and Albany, it was announced.

Through the assistance of Frederick L. Anderson, Berkeley, steel barrels are being painted and die-embossed with the message: "Don't be a Litterbug; Cooperate with the Boy Scouts; Use this trash barrel."

Demo 'Donkey' Party Will Be Held Tonight

"Donkey Serenade" will be the heme of the United Democratic fund jamboree to be held at Lafayette Town Hall tonight at 8:30.

The jamboree is the culmination of pre-primary events, and is being held in honor of the endorsed Democratic candidates, Richard Richards for U.S. Senator, Dr. H. R. Quinney for Congress, incumbent State Senator George Miller Jr. and Russell Koch for Assembly.

ORINDA AND Lafayette women, under the direction of Mrs. Harold Walters, will act as hostesses at the countywide event.

Mrs. Barbara Reid, chairman of decorations and arrangements, has planned posters and signs to carry out the "Donkey Serenade" theme. Tom Saunders is chairman of refreshments, and Gene Brazleton is in charge of games and prizes.

Frank Bach and his orchestra will supply music for dancing. Admission will be a 50-cent donation at the door or a ticket indicating a previous donation to the United Democratic Fund.

A RECENT HIGHLIGHT of the United Democratic Fund, well attended by local Democrats, was a $25-a-plate dinner May 24 which featured Helen Gahagan Douglas as guest speaker.

Dr. Frank Newman of Orinda, William McKee of Lafayette and Tom Kendall of Walnut Creek, as members of the Democratic Central Committee of Contra Costa County, aided in sponsoring the dinner, which was held at the Mira Vista Country Club.

Mrs. Douglas spoke about the need for humanity in government and said there has been a decline in friendly relations between the United States and other nations, particularly the Middle Eastern countries, in recent years.

"We cannot afford the kind of leadership we have had the last four years," she stated. "Time is running out. The Point Four Plan, as we knew it, is now non-existent, my friends." She continued, "We must elect a President with the capacity to inspire, to draw the American people together, to lead us toward growth in our capacity to understand, so that we may work to make this a human world rather than a material world."

PRECEDING MRS. Douglas' speech, short talks were made by Dr. Quinney and Koch.

Local Democrats who attended the dinner included, from Lafayette: Dr. Paul Stumpf, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Alpen, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Falconer, Mrs. George Jonas and Mr. and Mrs. William McKee; from Orinda, Mr. and Mrs. John Glascock, James Benney, Robert Patmont, and Meslames Charles Hanks, Leonard Roth, Frank Newman and Dorothy Barden; from Pleasant Hill: Mrs. Bruce Doerner and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Koch; and from Walnut Creek: Tom Kendall.

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Red Cross Officers Will be Elected at Monday Dinner

An annual dinner of the Mt. Diablo Chapter of the American Red Cross will be held Monday at 7 p.m., in the Walnut Festival Association building on Ygnacio Avenue, it was announced.

New officers and directors for the ensuing year will be elected. A program titled, "Your Red Cross in Mt. Diablo Chapter," has been arranged.

All members of Mt. Diablo Chapter are invited, including officers, directors, chairmen and volunteers, and all those who contributed to the chapter during the fund drive. Husbands and wives are urged to attend.

Reservations may be made by calling the chapter house at YE 5-5817, or the following: Mrs. Arthur Gordon and Mrs. Richard T. Myer in Orinda; Mrs. Vernon Patterson and Mrs. J. Wayland Barnette in Lafayette.

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Further details may be had by phoning The Volunteer Bureau of the Walnut Creek area, YE 4-0424, at 1640 Main Street. The Bureau is open Monday through Friday, from 9 to 12.

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